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To the Electors of Yates St. Ward:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—At the request of many, I come before you as a candidate for Alderman in your Ward, and, should you consider my services worthy of your confidence by electing me to that position, I will endeavor to do the best for the interest of the Ward and City in general. I therefore solicit your vote and influence.

ja9 W. A. ROBERTSON.

To the Electors of Yates St. Ward:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—Having been requested by a number of ratepayers of the above Ward, I have the honor of placing my name on the list of candidates for your approval.

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To the Individual Membership of the A. O. U. W.—For many years it has been the custom of several of the large fraternities to make the meeting of their national bodies a time and place of general assemblage of the Order, irrespective of rank or station. The next session of the Supreme Lodge, A.O.U.W., will be the first meeting thereof ever held in the Great West. It is to meet at Helena, Montana, in the heart of the great Inter-Mountain District of the United States. The Supreme Lodge meets here in response to invitations from the Grand Lodge A.O.U.W. Montana, the Governor of our State, the Mayor and Board of Trade of our city, which movement is concurred in by the people of Montana generally. Ample arrangements will be made for the accommodation of all who may be present, at reasonable rates, and entertainment furnished for persons who will take a vantage of this invitation. Reduced rates will be made, some already ordered, of a one fare rate from all parts of the United States and Canada to Helena and return. Eastern visitors will have the option of reaching Montana via Chicago, St. Paul and Minneapolis, and returning via Ogden, Salt Lake, Denver, Kansas City and Omaha, or by the reverse trip, entering by the latter points, and returning via St. Paul and Minneapolis Western visitors will have the straight one fare rates from all Pacific Coast points to Helena, and returning via Portland, Tacoma, Ogden or Salt Lake. Special reduced rates will be made for trips through the National Park—"The Wonder Land of America"—distant from Helena only about one hundred and twenty-five miles. In behalf of the people of Montana, in whose name we are authorized to act in this matter, we extend to every Workman of our Order a cordial invitation to visit Helena in June next, with their families, assuring all of a hearty welcome and a fraternal reception, and as great a variety of entertainments as your time will permit you to enjoy. Let there be a general assemblage of Workmen on that occasion, and we feel warranted in assuring you all that, aside from the personal satisfaction each of you will receive in participating in such a meeting, the Order generally will be greatly benefitted thereby. By order of the Montana General Committee. JAS. SULLIVAN, Chairman.

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ISAAC ROBINSON, deceased, Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic. cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees." Notice is hereby given that all CREDITORS and other persons having any debts, claims or demands against the Estate of ISAAC ROBINSON, late of Havercroft, in the Parish of Lamplugh, in the County of Cumberland, and of 107 Cannon street, E. C., lately residing at 48 Barkston Gardens, South Kensington, and formerly residing at Berners street, W., and Bolton's Mansions Hotel, S.W., but formerly of Kimberly Diamond Fields, South Africa Diamond Merchant, deceased (who died on the 29th day of September, 1891, at Havercroft, in the Parish of Lamplugh, aforesaid, and whose will was proved on the 1st day of December, 1891, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice by John Jefferson Robinson, of Cleator Moor, in the Parish of Cleator, in the County of Cumberland, Brewer, one of the Executors therein named, are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their debts, claims and demands to us, the undersigned, on or before the 20th day of February, 1892, after which day the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims and demands of which he shall then have received notice, and the said executor will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person whom of every of whose debt, claim, or demand he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution And all persons indebted to the said Estate are requested to send particulars of their debts, and all persons having in their custody or power any property or effects of the said deceased are also requested to send particulars of the same to us. Dated this 16th day of December, 1891.

IRVINE HODGES & BORROWMAN, St. Olave's Rectory, 8 Hart Street, Mark Lane, London, E. C., England, Solicitors for the said Executor. It

CAPITAL NOTES.

Chignecto Ship Railway Practically Dead—Six Months' Revenue and Expenditure of Canada.

The "Globe's" Attack on Lady Macdonald—True Bill Found Against McGreevy.

(From our own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Jan. 8.—The Chignecto Marine railroad practically received its death blow, the Government having refused to grant financial aid, or pay over any of the subsidy, until the line is completed; the condition on which Parliament voted the subsidy.

Revenue for the six months, $17,752,000; expenditure, $14,640,000.

The Alberta Railroad Company is again seeking a charter to build a line through the Crow's Nest Pass, to a point on the line of the Canadian Pacific.

S. W. McNeill & Co., of Anthracite, have been granted a charter of incorporation.

The Globe's attack on Lady Macdonald, in connection with the Regina townsite dispute, is strongly condemned. Hon. Mr. Dewdney says it is brutal.

The Grand Jury has found a true bill against Hon. Thos. McGreevy and Nicholas Connolly. Application was made to postpone the trial during the illness of Sir Hector Langevin and Mr. Perley. The judge said he was disposed to grant the application, but it will be finally decided to-morrow. Mr. Fitzpatrick, Q.C., cannot take part in the trial, as he is not a registered member of the Ontario Bar.

The revised voters' lists for Cariboo, Vancouver and Victoria, have been received here.

The Talbot-LaRose case was postponed to the next assizes, owing to a witness skipping out. Talbot, to-night, obtained bail.

AMERICAN NEWS.

Murdered by a Mexican Sailor.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 8.—The inquest on the body of John Giese, who was stabbed by G. Francisco, a Mexican sailor, whom he had ejected from his saloon, found a verdict to-day, charging Francisco with murder.

Serious Mining Explosion.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 8.—W. Farnham, vice-president of the Osage Mining Co., in whose mine at Krebs, I. T., the explosion occurred, last night, has just received a telegram which says that 143 miners have been rescued. The men were greatly exhausted, and some of them were unconscious, but revived after reaching the fresh air. Mr. Farnham says the miners were all white men, and many had large families. Everything possible will be done to relieve the distress of their afflicted families. A hastily constructed cage has been placed in operation and the work of rescuing the entombed miners is being pushed as fast as circumstances will permit. The crowd about the mouth of the pit has increased to over a thousand people. As most of the miners are Swedes, Norwegian and Italians, the mine officials have great difficulty in preserving order and keeping people at such a distance as will allow the men to run the cage without interruption.

Cotton Market Demoralized.

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Affairs were demoralized in the cotton market, yesterday afternoon, the decline at one time being fully 16 points, from which there was little reaction. At 2:40 p.m. news was received from Haskell & Riordan, who were unable to meet their liabilities, and, almost immediately, business came to a pause, it being too late for trade to fully ascertain its surroundings or the amount in default. The announcement occasioned general surprise. The house had done a large business, and was quite prominent It is understood they had a large line of Southern buyers, who failed to respond to calls for margins.

Colored Catholics' Congress.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 8.—At yesterday's session of the colored Catholics' congress, the committee report indorsing the founding of a national organization of colored Catholic societies, with the view, among other objects, of the establishment of a fund for the building of a church and furnishing educational facilities among the race, was adopted and the name set for the organization was the St. Peter's Clavers beneficent building and loan association. A letter of greeting from Archbishop Ireland, of St. Paul, was read, in which he expressed his conviction that no distinction should be made as to color of pupils in parish schools.

James Spencer, of Charleston, and James C. Read each read a paper favoring the establishment of separate churches for the colored people. F. L. McGhee, of St. Paul, in an exhaustive paper on "Our National Institutions," took the ground that the system of separate schools for black and white throughout the greater portion of the land was a most threatening evil.

Work of a Wrathful Wife.

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—The Sun's special from Memphis says: Robert J. Lemon, bookkeeper in the office of the Memphis Barrel and Heading company, incidentally spoke in complimentary terms of the typewriter in the office, Miss Mollie Scanlan, to Mrs. Lemon the other evening. She jumped to the conclusion that her husband was infatuated with the typewriter, and yesterday the wife visited the office where her husband, Miss Scanlan, A. K. Ward, secretary of the company, and a clerk were all at work at their desks. Mrs. Lemon at once broke out in a tirade of abuse, accusing Miss Scanlan of trying to steal her husband's affections. "My God, Mollie, you will ruin me," said the astonished husband. It chanced that both women bore the same name, and the wife shrieked out: "Which Mollie do you mean—your slave or your pet?" Mr. Ward and the clerk got Mrs. Lemon in the hall and tried to persuade her she was entirely mistaken in her suspicions. Just then the spring lock clicked, and realizing that she was locked out and that her husband and the typewriter were alone in the office, Mrs. Lemon grew furious and tried to break the door down. The typewriter was found weeping bitterly, and Mr. Lemon was apologizing for his wife's unseemly conduct. Before she could be prevented Mrs. Lemon rushed at Miss Scanlan and dealt her several blows in the face, head and shoulders with her umbrella. She was removed from the office by force, but insisted that her husband should go with her. Miss Scanlan will give up her place.

Death of an Actor.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Jan. 8.—John Dean, who impersonated Cy Prime, in the Old Homestead, died this morning of la grippe. He contracted a severe cold while attending the funeral of the actress, Miss May Bird, who was burned to death on Monday night. This is the fourth death in the theatrical profession in this city during the past week.

Governor Russell Inaugurated.

BOSTON, Jan. 7.—William E. Russell was, to-day, inaugurated Governor of Massachusetts, and his address was read to the Legislature. In his message the Governor recommends the passage of a comprehensive and stringent law to secure the publication of election expenses, and, if possible, to limit their amount and define their proper object. He asks further legislation in the interest of labor, and requests that national legislation be petitioned for providing for the adoption of safety appliances in the coupling and uncoupling of cars.

Convention of Press Clubs.

OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 8.—Delegates to the convention of the Press Clubs at San Francisco arrived in this city at two p.m. They were met at the depot by a delegation from the local Press Club and the Board of Trade and escorted to the club room in the "Bee" building. There Hon. E. Rosenwater, of the "Bee," welcomed them to the city, and Kate Field replied in her usual graceful and eloquent manner. After a drive about the city and a lunch, the party re-embarked and began their trip across the plains.

The Canadian Pacific Subsidy.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 8.—It is the general opinion that if the Union Pacific holds out in its refusal to pay its share of the Canadian Pacific subsidy, the Northern Pacific will also refuse to pay. In fact, it is said that there is just as much reason for paying a subsidy to the Northern and Union Pacific lines as there is to the Canadian Pacific. At any rate, the Northern Pacific would have no reason for paying a subsidy if the Union Pacific refuses, for its share would not only be increased, but the Union Pacific would be placed in a comparatively advantageous position. It is still believed here that the Transcontinental Association will not be dissolved, but that the difficulty will be patched up in some way. The roads find too much in the existing conditions to lightly quarrel, and the move of the Canadian Pacific is taken to be only a bluff. The rumored cut in rates by the Pacific Mail to meet the Canadian Pacific "differentials" has not apparently materialized, and it is thought that little could be done in that line pending the near meeting of the Transcontinental association. It is possible that the rumor concerning the Pacific Mail rates originated in an impression that the Pacific Mail may make some change in the Asiatic rates in view of the Union Pacific Portland line of steamers.

The Port Townsend Buildings.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Bids were, today, opened at the Treasury Department for furnishing plumbing work for the Port Townsend, Washington, public buildings. John O'Neil & Son, of Peoria, Ills., were the lowest bidders, at $7,744.

Appointment.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8—W. S. Whethridge has been appointed keeper of the Oregon Inlet life-saving station.

The Great Chess Match.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Jan. 9.—Steinitz was victor in the fourth game of the great chess match, winning after 29 moves. Steinitz again played. King, Lopez, Steinitz and Techigarin are now on even terms, each having won a game, two games being drawn.

A Well Connected Criminal.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 8.—Chief of Police Harrigan has received the following letter from Rev. Thomas Deggett, of Bryan, O.: "I write to call your attention to a man who is just out of the State prison, at Columbus, where he was known as Harvey Hill. His true name is Lewis Garfield, a second cousin of the assassinated President. Under the name of Hill he has served eight or nine years for burglary. When arrested he threatened to kill the woman whose testimony convicted him, and is now on his way to St. Louis with this end in view. He would stop at nothing for revenge. The woman is married and was living in St. Louis a few years ago. The police are not acquainted with young Garfield, but are on the look out for him.

Fatal Explosion at Chicago.

CHICAGO, Jan. 8.—A terrific explosion occurred to-night in the boiler room of the Warren, Springer Co.'s building, on South Canal street. A number of employees were in the building at the time the explosion took place, and so far three are known to have been killed outright and three others so badly injured that their recovery is doubtful. The names of the dead are: Edward Hugh, (white), laborer; Patrick Rogers, (white) fireman; Arthur Hall, (colored), fireman. The injured are: James Higgins, fireman, terribly scalded; Henry Oswald, laborer, internally injured, cannot live. The cause of the explosion is as yet unknown. The engineer says he left the engine room but a few moments before the explosion occurred, and that the boilers were all right. All the injured have been taken to the hospital, where it was stated at a late hour, to-night, that two of the injured men will undoubtedly die.

A Wife Murderer Suicides.

NEWARK, N. J., Jan. 8.—Charles F. Quackenbush, of Albany, N. J., shot his wife dead and killed himself, about 8 o'clock this evening.

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CABLE NEWS.

Minister Lincoln Interviews Lord Salisbury on Behring's Sea Business—The Khedive's Successor.

Vessel Burned at Sea—The Pope Asked to Mediate Between France and Bulgaria.

A Trustee's Embezzlement.

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Mr. Geo. Woodyatt, Member of Parliament for East Worcestershire, who was arrested some time ago, charged with embezzling funds from the estate of the late Major Brown, of which he was the only surviving trustee, was again brought to the bar at Bow street court, today, and was again remanded.

The Pope and the Bulgarian Difficulty.

PARIS, Jan. 8.—It is said that Prince Ferdinand wrote to the Pope asking His Holiness to intervene for the prevention of trouble between France and Bulgaria. Ferdinand is said to be much more anxious about the situation than Stambuloff, who maintains a resolute and defiant attitude.

Unknown Vessel Burned at Sea.

LONDON, Jan. 8.—The British steamer Catalonia, at Queenstown from Boston, reports that on January 5th she passed a sailing vessel on fire. The Catalonia searched in the vicinity but found no trace of the crew of the burning vessel. The latter was completely gutted.

The Influenza Bacillus.

BERLIN, Jan. 8.—Professor Koch has exhibited the specimens of influenza bacillus and the methods of investigation pursued by Drs. Pfeiffer and Canon and established the identity of their results.

The "Accident" to the Czar's Train.

BERLIN, Jan. 8.—The Kreuz Zeitung publishes an account of the manner in which it is alleged the "accident" to the Czar's train, on October 17, 1888, really originated. The account states that a kitchen boy employed on the train, supposed to have been killed in the accident, escaped. He was recently arrested on suspicion of being a nihilist, and handed over to the police. This youth, since his arrest, has confessed he placed an infernal clock in a compartment next the Imperial dining saloon, and, fearing it would explode too soon, turned it the wrong way, with the result that it exploded in a downward direction.

The Franco-Bulgarian Quarrel.

PARIS, Jan. 8.—It is declared in official circles here that all the powers approve of the attitude of Ribot, minister of foreign affairs, with regard to the matter of the expulsion of Chadouine from Bulgaria. The French government, it is said, in its demands on the Bulgarian government merely desired to insure respect for its capitulations and to prevent a re-occurrence of the affair. A speedy and satisfactory settlement of the difficulty between France and Bulgaria is confidently expected.

VIENNA, Jan. 8.—Russia has grossly left France in the lurch in the Chadouine affair. Foreign Minister Ribot was not conscious that he was not in possession of the full facts of the case when he took action. He did not then know that the French agent had been verbally warned of Chadouine's reputation. Now, seeing he is forced to stand alone, he will deal with the matter in a conciliatory way, and Stambouloff will do his best to meet him.

Lincoln Interviews Salisbury.

LONDON, Jan. 9.—Minister Lincoln had a rather long interview, this afternoon, with Lord Salisbury. The subject is understood to have been the Behring Sea question.

The Khedive's Successor.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 8.—The Sultan has formally appointed Abbas to be Khedive, in place of his father.

CANADIAN NEWS.

French Reserves Under Orders.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 8.—All the French Vice-Consuls in Canada have notified all the French reserves resident here to hold themselves in readiness to join their corps in France at a moment's notice.

Ontario's Moral Influence on Quebec.

TORONTO, Jan. 8.—The Mail says: It is stated that when the Legislature of Ontario meets, early next month, it will be invited to denounce, by resolutions, the unconstitutional course of Lieut.-Governor Angers in dismissing his ministry, and in postponing the meeting of the Legislature to a date beyond the twelve months' delay, authorized by the Confederation Act.

Extensive Fire at Lachute.

LACHUTE, Que., Jan. 8.—Fire broke out, last evening, in the Argenteuil Hall, owned by P. Rodrique. The flames gained such headway that it was impossible to prevent their communication to the general store of Fraser Bros., adjoining, which, together with the hotel and contents, were destroyed. The total loss is estimated at between $15,000 and $20,000.

A Large Company Embarrassed.

TORONTO, Jan. 8.—The Barnum Wire & Iron Works Co., at Toronto Junction, is financially embarrassed The exact amount of liabilities is not known, but it is thought it will exceed $50,000.

Fire Loss at Thorold.

THOROLD, Ont., Jan. 8.—Three stores and two dwellings were burned yesterday. John Clay, grocer, loses $15,000, insurance, $9,000; Mrs. Andrew Hardie, on her stores, loss, $2,500, insurance, $1,800; Thos. Conlon, on his dwellings, loss, $3,500, insurance, $2,500.

Death of a Prominent Manitoban.

WINNIPEG, Man., Jan. 8.—Word has reached here of the death at Los Angeles, Cal., of Dr. Haggarty, a prominent resident of Portage la Prairie. He only left Manitoba a few days ago for the south.

Fire at Brandon.

BRANDON, Jan. 8.—A fire, to-night, damaged the premises of W. Sentchel, boots and shoes; W. J. Young & Co., Bower & Co., J. W. Lottan and H. E. Henderson. One of the buildings was owned by J. W. Horne, of Vancouver. Loss, about $10,000.

The Lt.-Governor Better.

TORONTO, Jan. 8.—Lieut.-Governor Campbell was better yesterday, than at any time since his illness. He is now on a fair way to recovery.

THE BALTIMORE INCIDENT.

Summary of the Judicial Proceedings Taken by the Chilian Authorities.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Senor Montt, the Chilian minister, laid before Secretary Blaine to-day the following information, received from Senor Perier, the Chilian minister of Foreign Affairs: "The voluminous summary of judicial proceedings instituted before the regular court in reference to the trouble in Valparaiso between the Chilians and sailors from the Baltimore has terminated. The District-Attorney has presented an extensive report upon its merits, drawing the following conclusions:

First—The unfortunate incident of October 16th originated in a brawl between intoxicated sailors of both nations.

Second—The policemen, from the first moment, did all they were directed to do to suppress the riot. The correct course of the police has been acknowledged by every one of the witnesses, and of the American sailors, except two

Third—Only one isolated shot was fired. It was from a revolver—the police carry Comblaine carbines. The District Attorney indicts the following named prisoners: Carlos Gomez, Federico Roderiquez, Rhumada, Chileans, and Davidson, an American. He asks that they be punished according to law. Minister Montt thinks the trials will follow speedily, and believes the result should be known within two weeks.

AVENGING A SHERIFF'S DEATH.

A Judge Threatened with Death if He Dares to Open Court.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 8.—A special to the Journal (Rep.) from Arkalon says: The deputy sheriffs have partially avenged the death of Sheriff Dunn. It is not known positively, but it is more than likely that as a result of the attempt of the deputies to bring the slayers of the sheriff to justice four outlaws were killed, yesterday afternoon. A courier arrived here at noon, just in from the south line of the state. He reports a running conflict between the fleeing desperadoes and an armed posse of pursuers. Two wagon loads of men camped in a gulch south of Springfield were discovered. They saw their pursuers at about the same moment and then commenced a life and death race. For ten miles the two parties were not within firing distance, but just before dusk the pursuing party came within less than a quarter of a mile of the desperadoes and the firing commenced. The running fight was kept on a level plain for a distance of four miles. Following one fusilade four men were seen to tumble from their seats in the wagons. It could not be ascertained whether they were killed or wounded. The pursuing party, finding that their jaded horses could not carry them further, made a detour of half a mile to a ranch, where they procured fresh horses, and the race was resumed. The courier started back from that point. He says the pursuing party, numbering fourteen men, would follow the desperadoes into No-Man's-Land, if necessary, and bring them back dead or alive. Another courier is hourly expected, and with him the news of a battle, in which one side or the other sustained a serious loss of life. It was learned, to-day, that the party killing Dunn was made up of details from the counties of Seward, Stevens, Grant, Morton and Haskell. Threats had been made in each of these five counties that in case Judge Botkin attempts to open court in either he will be killed. The threats came from men known to be desperate, and the scenes in this county are feared in each of the other counties. This morning a young man named Estes was arrested by the troops. It is alleged that he is one of the party attacking Dunn. One company of militia is now at Springfield awaiting the pleasure of Judge Botkin to assist in opening court, meantime aiding the deputy sheriffs in making arrests of men engaged in battle. These arrests are the beginning of another trouble. All warrants are returnable to the Justice of the Peace of this place.

The Behring Sea Arbitration.

WASHINGTON CITY, Jan. 7.—When, on November 10, Attorney-General Miller announced that a basis for arbitrating the Behring Sea difficulty had been reached, he was saying what was at the time strictly true. What Attorney-General Miller then announced has been upset by the demands on the part of Lord Salisbury for further modifications. Precisely what the nature of these demands is it is impossible to say, but they are touching minor points not heretofore raised. Indeed, they suggest the policy of delay, which has characterized Lord Salisbury's conduct and which, if it was not intended as such, has undoubtedly resulted in serious loss, financial and otherwise, to the United States. It would be premature, perhaps, to say anything definite at the present time, but measures will not be wanting when required to compel more speedy consideration of the questions at issue on the part of Lord Salisbury.

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The Building Scheme Promises to be a Success--Correspondence in "Greater Britain."

Subsidizing Atlantic Mail Steamers—The Question of Reciprocity to be Discussed.

Though the programme of business for yesterday's general meeting of the Board of Trade was a light one, the turn out of members was decidedly satisfactory and the proceedings were of considerable interest. President T. B. Hall occupied the Chair, among the members sitting under him being Messrs. C. E. Renouf, A. J. McLellan, E. G. Prior, Robert Ward, H. J. Scott, W. F. Bullen, H. F. Heisterman, B. Boggs, F. Elworthy, B. Van Volkenburg, Joshua Davies, George Byrnes, E. B. Marvin, Gus. Leiser, J. H. Todd, D. R. Ker, Jacob Sehl, W. Jensen, A. G. Sargison, W. E. Losee, F. C. Davidge and C. D. Mason.

Under the heading of reports—first in the order of business—Mr. J. H. Todd, for the Building committee, said that he and his associate had been hard at work but had not yet concluded their labors. Already 140 shares, representing $14,000, had been taken up in addition to the 50 subscribed for by the Board. The canvassers had not got through yet, and intended to stick to the business men until they had still more to show for their work. The list, Mr. Todd hoped and expected, would be swelled to over $20,000 very shortly.

Mr. D. R. Ker, another member of the Building committee, explained that he had been unable as yet to give his time to the work of canvassing, and on the part of himself and Mr. Renouf, asked for a short extension of time, promising that they would go out and "rustle" all they could—he hoped with success.

Ald. Renouf expressed himself as more than ever assured of the success of the scheme. The committee would make a big effort to place 100 more shares.

Mr. Leiser complained of and named a number of well-to-do citizens who could well afford to assist the scheme, but who not only refused their aid, but did their best to throw cold water on the project.

Mr. Ward was well satisfied with the work that had been done, and suggested that the committee be granted a further extension of time—say, a month.

A motion in this direction, introduced by Mr. Ward, passed the Board without opposition.

President Hall explained that the Board had seen fit to request an official enquiry into the loss of the San Pedro; the Government had authorized such an enquiry, the Board to be represented thereat; and the Council had named Mr. Robert Ward, as the Board's representative.

A communication was read from Mr. Thomas Earle, covering a telegram from the Minister of Public Works, in regard to a survey of the enter harbor, and stating that the resident Government engineer had been instructed to furnish the information required and that the work would be proceeded with at once.

President Hall explained that the Board had been in correspondence with C. P. R. people, in regard to the calling of their steamers at this port. The representations of the Board were met with the statement that the railway management, until they had an authentic survey of the water here, did not feel justified in having their steamers come in to dock. The Government had taken the action requested by the Board, and he (President Hall) hoped, very soon, to be able to give the C.P.R., in black and white, the information, upon the receipt of which they would order the steamers to call.

Sir Astley Cooper wrote the Board, through Mr. Robert Ward, inviting the co-operation of the members in the furnishing of correspondence calculated to be of benefit to the province in "Greater Britain," the well-known publication devoted to British colonies and colonists.

Mr. Ward explained the character and aims of "Greater Britain," and pointed out the value which correspondence appearing in its columns, from British Columbia, would possess, if only as an advertisement of the resources of the province.

Mr. Prior suggested that Mr. Ward furnish an article on the rise and fall of the drama—at the Standard theatre.

Mr. Todd: The drama at the drama?

Mr. Renouf: Why not ask each member of the Board to contribute an article per month?

The President: And start with one by Ald. Renouf on "What I know about civic finance."

Each of these suggestions was received with laughter and applause, and the communication under consideration was ordered to be acknowledged with thanks.

Showing how far and wide the Board's annual reports are circulated, letters of acknowledgment were read from the Yokohama Chamber of Commerce, the Manchester Ship Canal Co., the London office of the Agent-General for British Columbia, the Government Agency for Canada in Dublin, and the Bengal Chamber of Commerce. Each was ordered to be filed.

Acton Burrows wrote from Winnipeg in re a special article upon Victoria, contributed by Mr. Jno. F. Norris, of the COLONIST staff, and illustrated with cuts furnished by Ellis & Co. On motion of Messrs. A. J. McLellan and D. R. Ker, the thanks of the Board was tendered to Ellis & Co. and Mr. Norris for their efforts in behalf of Victoria.

Communications were next read from the Boards of Trade of Halifax and St. John, N. B., covering long resolutions, which, in effect, urged the Board to lend its aid in inducing the Dominion Government not to subsidize any Atlantic mail steamers carrying Canadian mails, unless such steamers made a Canadian port their terminus.

On the letter head of the St. John Board, Col. Prior pointed out, with a laugh, that Victoria was not even credited with existing, on the railway map of the world, which marked Vancouver in big black letters.

Mr. Todd thought the resolutions read touched of a local quarrel with which Victoria had no right to meddle. The Government should be left untrammelled to send Canadian letters by the fastest line—this was to the advantage of Canadians. He advised that the Government be let alone—they were doing right on this mail question. The mails for the old land, when they go East now, he remarked, are sent by the first steamer sailing; that's what we want.

President Hall: As far as I see, the objection now taken is to the Dominion Government subsidizing a line of steamers making Portland, Maine., its winter terminus.

Mr. Todd: I would like to see both St. John and Halifax fostered by the Government. Then trade would find its own route—to the city possessing the most advantages.

Mr. Boggs hoped to see the letters tabled until his resolution upon the same subject came up in order, to be dealt with. He drew attention to the fact that, while the St. John Board asked that St. John be made the Canadian terminus, the Halifax Board was very broad in its request. It was on the resolution of the latter Board that his action was based. The boards of Ottawa, Quebec, and several other lower province cities, had sent resolutions to the Halifax Board, expressing their sympathy. This was not a political movement; Conservative members, on the platform in the Nova Scotia capital, condemned the policy of the Government in assisting a line of steamers that built up a foreign city, at the expense of Canada—by landing Canadian mails there. All he (Mr. Boggs) asked, was that the Board send a resolution to Halifax, expressing sympathy, and request the local members to support any measure to build up a Canadian line of steamers.

The President: I am informed by the post office inspector that Portland is no longer the terminus; the government have requested the Allan line people to call at Halifax both outward and inward for the mails.

Mr. Prior: I agree with Mr. Boggs on the advisability of Canadian ships carrying Canadian mails, landing them at Canadian ports; but I consider that the government themselves are more competent to deal with this question than we are.

To make the discussion quite in order, Mr. Boggs introduced his resolution, which was seconded by Mr. E. B. Marvin and read as follows:

"Whereas the mail between Canada and Great Britain is now forwarded via a United states port;

"And whereas the establishing of a permenent mail service is of national importance;

"Now therefore be it resolved that this Board unites with the boards of trade of the maritime provinces in their protest to the Dominion Government, and requests the representatives of this province in the Dominion House of Commons, to use their influence and support the granting of a subsidy only to a trans-Atlantic line of steamers having a Canport for a terminus."

"If we assist the maritime provinces in their struggles," said Mr. Boggs, "we can, no doubt, depend on their aid, to supplement the efforts of our members in Parliament."

Mr. Ward hoped that the resolution would be withdrawn. The bulk of trans-Atlantic business was enjoyed by the New York steamers because they gave the best and quickest service. When people travelled they wanted to go by the fast route; when they sent letters they wanted them forwarded with best despatch. At present, while Halifax was some 600 miles nearer Liverpool than was New York, the steamers sailing thence, instead of making the trip in two days less than the New York boats, took three, four, sometimes five days longer. He had no objection to subsidizing the carrying of the mails by steamers sailing out of Halifax, if those steamers were thoroughly modern—which they were not however to-day.

Messrs. Todd, McLellan, and Leiser spoke briefly on the resolution defining their objections to it, and Mr. Ward introduced the following amendment, which was seconded by Mr. Davies:—

Be it resolved that this Board requests the representatives of British Columbia in the Dominion House of Commons to use their influence and support the granting of a subsidy only to such trans-Atlantic line of steamers having a Canadian port for a terminus, with speed and accommodation equal to those having established records for the most rapid voyages across the Atlantic.

This resolution was also opposed, principally on the ground that the subject was not one calling for action by the board, and on going to a vote it was lost:

Yeas, six.

Nays, nine.

Messrs. J. Coigdaripe, Luke Pither, J. H. Brownlee and Charles Green were admitted to membership in the Board; the receipt of copies of the History of Co-operation from Mr. Thomas Alsop was ordered acknowledged; and Mr. H. F. Heisterman introduced the following resolution, which stands as notice of motion to be considered at a special general meeting before Messrs. Earle and Prior leave for Ottawa:

"That this Board of Trade requests the representatives of Victoria in the Dominion Parliament to support any measure of Reciprocity that may be brought before Parliament by the Dominion Government at its next session, in view of the great importance which reciprocity bears to the development of our natural resources and the isolation of this province from the markets of Eastern Canada."

A MUCH MARRIED MAN.

He Deserted Seven of Them and Was Arrested for Robbing the Last.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—The Sun's special from Cleveland says: The day after Christ- was John Anderson of St. Louis deserted his wife in this city after taking the sum of $1,200 that was sewed up in her skirt. It was their wedding trip, and the bride had formerly been a Mrs. Ellen Purcell of St. Louis. Anderson departed for the east at once, but was intercepted at Albany and returned to Cleveland under arrest. While on his way to Albany he sent a telegraph money order to 129 Concord street, Boston, Mass., and it was subsequently learned that he had a wife residing there. As soon as the news of his arrest was made public other wifes began to be heard from. No. 1 married John at San Miguel, Cal., and now resides at San Jose. No. 2 is a Danish woman, who became Mrs. Anderson at Cherokee, Iowa, and was robbed and deserted at Omaha, and is again a resident of Cherokee. No. 3 is living at 129 Concord street, Boston. She was married in Hoboken, N. Y., and is the mother of an infant two weeks old. No. 4 resides in Kansas City. No. 5 wedded Anderson in Illinois, and is now a resident of Chicago. To-day No. 6 was heard from in the person of Mrs. L. D Madison of Elmira, N. Y., who has had the same experience with Anderson as all the others. No. 7 is Mrs. Purcell, who is still in this city. In each case Anderson got all his victim's money, lived with her for a time and then deserted her. He is now under indictment here for departing with Mrs. Purcell's $1,200. The police are of the opinion that all the returns from his wives are not yet in. He is cheerful and quite contented to be in the county jail away from his numerous wives.

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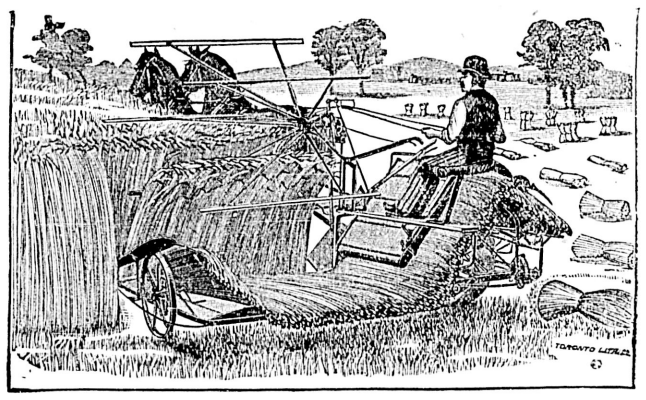

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The trustees executed the deed and accepted the trust this day.

A meeting of creditors will be held in the office of the undersigned, 46 Langley Street, Victoria, on Saturday, the 2nd day of January, 1892, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated 28th December, 1891.

S. PERRY MILLS,
de29 1m Solicitor for the Trustees.

PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE is hereby given that at the next session of the Legislative Assembly application will be made by the Victoria and Esquimalt Telephone Company, Limited, for an Act to amend their act of incorporation, by which the said Company may be authorized to erect and maintain telephone lines and poles in and throughout Victoria city and the districts of Victoria and Esquimalt, and that the powers and privileges granted by the said act and proposed amending act may be extended and remain in force for a period of 50 years, and that the Company may be authorized to increase its capital stock, and for other purposes.

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NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FIFTH Annual Meeting of the British Columbia Fire Insurance Company will be held at the company's office, 61 Yates street, on Thursday evening, January 21st, 1892, at 4 p. m., when the annual report of the company will be presented. Members of the company are requested to attend.

WM. DALBY,
Dec. 21, 1891. Manager.
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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership existing between Messrs. Barrett & Carpenter was dissolved by mutual consent on November 1, 1891. Mr. Barrett will carry on the business as before.

January 4th, 1892. ja5

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 160 acres of land, more or less, situated in Renfrew District, and bounded as follows: Commencing at a stake on the north east corner of section 17, thence running in a southerly direction 13 chains to the stake marking the south east corner of said section, thence easterly 40 chains more or less, to a stake on the west boundary of section 36, thence northerly to the coast, thence westerly to place of commencement, following the coast. Copies of this notice have been posted in accordance with the Land Act.

JNO. NICHOLLES.
Victoria, B. C., 31st Dec., 1891. ja1

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next session, for an Act to incorporate a Company to construct, equip, maintain and operate a line of railway from the townsite of Kaslo, on Kootenay Lake, westerly along the Kaslo River to the junction of the North and South Forks of said river; thence along the North Fork of Kaslo River to some convenient and accessible point near the headwaters of North Fork in the vicinity of the mines lately discovered near Sloean Lake; with power to build, maintain and operate branch lines from any point or points on the main line or branch lines to any mine or mines which may now or hereafter be located or operated in the section of country adjacent to the Kaslo River, and adjacent to and lying between the North and South Forks of said river.

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NOTICE.

LEGISLATIVE - ASSEMBLY

PRIVATE BILLS.

THE TIME LIMITED BY THE RULES of the House for receiving Petitions for Private Bills will expire on Thursday, the eighteenth day of February, 1892.

THORNTON FELL,
Clerk Leg. Assembly.
Dated this 26th December, 1891. de27

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HUGH NELSON.

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PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of British Columbia at Our City of Victoria—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

THEODORE DAVIE, *Attorney-General.* } WHEREAS We are desirous and resolved as soon as may be, to meet Our people of Our Province of British Columbia, and to have their advice in Our Legislature:

NOW KNOW YE, that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our loving subjects, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Executive Council of the Province of British Columbia, to hereby convoke, and by these presents enjoin you, and each of you, that on Thursday, the Twenty eighth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, you meet Us in Our said Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province, at Our City of Victoria, FOR THE DISPATCH OF BUSINESS, to treat, do, act, and conclude upon those things which in Our Legistature of the Province of British Columbia, by the Common Council of Our said Province may, by the favor of God, be ordained.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, the Honourable HUGH NELSON, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Twenty-third day of December, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, and in the fifty-fifth year of Our reign.

By Command.

JNO. ROBSON,
de25-1m *Provincial Secretary.*

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Fraser River Fishermen Urge the Government to Open the River for Free Fishing.

Another New Industry for Westminster—The Nanaimo Perjury Case Set for Monday.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, Jan. 8.—The steamer Isabel, that arrived to-day from Comox, brings news that constables are being engaged in looking for the Siwash who shot the white man at Cape Mudge. The Siwash said he was going to give himself up, but as yet nothing has been heard of him.

The Perjury case of Tully Boyce vs. R. Pyper and Jas. Wilson, comes off on Monday.

Mr. Mayer, who has conducted business as a grocer and dry goods merchant in this city, for about 30 years, is retiring.

At the request of Mr. Campbell, on behalf of Tully Boyce, Thomas Keith and Andrew Wilson, the hearing of the charges of perjury against his clients, has been adjourned until Monday.

The following officers of Black Diamond Lodge, No. 5, I. O. O. F., have been installed by D. G. M. Robert Rivers, assisted by Past Grands Duffie, McAddie, Baker and Norris: Robert Gourley, N. G.; Geo. Holdnall, V. G.; W. L. Morton, Sec.; James Crossan, Treas.; N. Milburn, Warden; M. Duffie, Conductor; D. Innis, I. G.; Jas. Harley, O. G.; D. Dailey, R. S. N. G.; I. Thompson, L. S. N. G.; D. McIntosh, R. S. V. G.; Robert Williamson, L. S. V. G.; Shad. Bone, R. S. S.; J. H. Alverson, L. S. S.

A Company under the Joint Stock Company Act, is being formed for the erection and operation of a Soap Factory at Northfield. The Company is capitalled at $5,000, in 100 shares of $50 each.

The Managing Committee of the Rifle Association have appointed a sub-committee to draft by-laws and a constitution, and to report next week.

The Nanaimo Infantry Corps is beginning to assume a more military appearance. It is well advanced in its drill. The uniforms are expected in a few days, when there will be a turn out of the corps.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Jan. 8.—C. F. Pretty & Co. are erecting a freezing establishment with a capacity for storing 40,000 salmon. They will begin operations in the spring run.

Burglars broke into and robbed the Steamboat Exchange, last night, of money, cigars and whiskey.

Fishermen are circulating a petition which will be presented to the Dominion Government, asking for free fishing on the Fraser, and no limit to the number of licenses.

Seventy-seven couples were wedded in Westminster last year.

The municipal franchise meeting, held on Wednesday night, is much talked of, and it is hoped that the scheme of extension to be formulated by the parties designated will not be long delayed.

A RUSSIAN FAMINE.

Result of Thirty Years of Mismanagement—The Czar Incensed at the Adulterations.

MOSCOW, Jan. 8.—An eminent Russian officer in an interview says: The famine is the result of thirty years of mismanagement and will become chronic. The state of the peasantry is extremely unsatisfactory. They believe the Czar is in duty bound to feed them, and if he does not an uprising may be expected. Should troops be called to quell such an uprising it is doubtful if they would fire on their starving fathers and brothers. Possibly, should the Polish frontier be partially denuded of troops, Austria and Germany may make an effort to render harmless for a time the power which they regard as their most dangerous foe. It is not necessary to speak of Poland. Every one knows that the Polish peasantry do not respect the Czar. The party at the head of government of affairs is composed of nihilists in disguise. They are nihilists, only they have altered their methods and are leading the country to ruin in the most royal fashion in the world. I regard the famine as a blessing in disguise. It may rouse us and show the pitfalls toward which we are going.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 8.—The Czar displayed extreme anger upon learning of the adulteration of the food intended for the starving peasants. It is reported that the principal authorities will be dismissed in consequence of these disclosures. Three agents at Odessa have been arrested for having sold adulterated grain.

LONDON, Jan. 8.—A Russian monthly, the European Messenger, contains an alarming account of the famine in Russia. The Messenger compares the present famine in Russia with that in Ireland in 1846, and contrasts the measures adopted by the two governments to alleviate the distress of the people.

WASHINGTON CITY, Jan. 8.—Representative Stump, of Maryland, yesterday, introduced a resolution, requesting the President to lay before the House any definite information in possession of the State Department relative to the famine in Russia, with such recommendations as lies within the power of the government.

ANARCHISTS IN ENGLAND.

Discovery of a Serious and Far-Reaching Plot—Arrests of Conspirators.

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Scotland Yard received a warning, several months ago, of the existence of an anarchist plot, with ramifications in the United States and on the continent. Inspector Melville was given charge of the matter. A close watch was kept on suspicious foreigners in London, and other parts of the country. Melville went to Walsall, near Birmingham, to watch a so called socialist club, the doctrines of which were so subservient of all authority as to excite surprise among even the Radicals of that radical town. The inspector became convinced that members of the club were plotting mischief, and that bombs were being prepared for use against the authorities on the continent, and, perhaps, also in America and England.

Melville and his assistants ascertained that preparation of the bombs was carried on by members of the club in connection with an anarchist named Deakin, who appears to have been the leader in the business. Deakin arrived in London, yesterday, and was brought up in a magistrate's court and secretly arraigned and remanded. Inspector Melville then hastened to complete the work by arresting the others before they could take alarm. To-night, he descended on the club at Walsall, and took into custody Victor Cails, a clerk; Frederick Charles, a moulder; and the wife of Cails, on the charge of conspiring with Deakin to make bombs for an outrage. Charles had a revolver on his person when arrested, and would probably have used it, but for the suddenness with which he was taken into custody.

At the homes of the prisoners important documents were found, showing the extent and objects of the conspiracy, and also half finished bombs with destructive explosives.

The police are reticent, but it has leaked out that they are in possession of startling facts in regard to these men. That Deakin was the agent of the anarchists on the continent is known, and that several crowned heads would have been in danger had the conspiracy gone undetected. It is also reported that Deakin intended the bombs for use in extorting money from rich men, to be devoted to the advancement of anarchy, and that Charles was led into the plot by promise of a rich reward from the blackmail thus to be obtained. The police neither deny nor affirm these stories. The arrests have created a sensation to-night, and Inspector Melville has been complimented on his success. It is said that the bomb manufacturers received frequent remittances of money from America.

BARNUM'S BODY.

Friends of the "Only Original" Determined that He Should Not be "Resurrected."

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Jan. 8.—Much discussion has been created here by the report that P. T. Barnum's body was not in the casket which 10,000 followed to the cemetery last April, but that it was a dummy of cloth and stones over which Rev. Robert Collier preached the funeral oration. The story gained little credence, but now it is taken as authentic by the admission of a very near friend of the family. It is recalled that at the time of the funeral no one outside of the family and a few intimate friends were allowed to view the body. This is said to be in accordance with Mr. Barnum's wishes, he fearing that his face would look unnatural. Now his associates remember how frequently he spoke of his horror lest his body might be stolen as A. T. Stewart's was. It is known that he enjoined his family to guard against such a misfortune. His fear amounted almost to a mania.

It is said now that some one of the attendants in the house at the time the coffin was closed has made the statements which started the story as to the dummy corpse in the casket. Hawley, Reynolds & Wilmott, the undertakers, profess great surprise and do not credit the story that a false casket was substituted for the one in which they placed Mr. Barnum's body. The story is that the body was concealed in Mr. Barnum's house "Marina," until a few days after the funeral, then it was buried in a spot known only to Mrs. Barnum and her chosen friends, and that a year or two hence, when all danger from ghouls is past, it will be placed in the family plot beneath the granite slab now supposed to mark the grave.

DIVISIONAL COURT.

(Before Mr Justice Walkem and Mr. Justice Crease.)

Irving vs. Bowker—This was an appeal from the order of Mr. Justice Crease, giving the plaintiff leave to sign judgment under order XIV. The appeal was granted, the defendant being allowed to defend upon giving satisfactory security in court, and payment of costs of appeal, within ten days. Eberts & Taylor for appellant, Drake, Jackson and Helmcken for respondent. The full court adjourned until Monday morning.

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A SHOCKED SYCOPHANT.

The Vancouver World is shocked that the COLONIST should have the audacity to criticise the words and acts of the Attorney General. Independence is a word which is not in its vocabulary. It is perpetually either fawning or snarling. Its praise or its censure are dispensed with a perfect disregard of the deserts of those whom it flatters and vilifies. The consequence is that it is held in utter contempt by both its friends and its opponents. It imagines that the COLONIST is out of favor with the Government, and that it can consequently flout it with impunity. Here is a specimen of its criticism. In the controversy between the COLONIST and Mr. Davie, it of course decides in favor of the Attorney General, and then goes on to say:

"The gentle tap given the COLONIST by the Attorney General for its misbehaviour in this matter, has drawn from that journal column upon column of the vilest and most brutal abuse that possibly has ever appeared in a journal, generally supposed to be the mouth-piece at the Capital of the Government, of which the Attorney General is one of the ministers."

This is the sort of stuff that the World dishes up for the Vancouver public. We are far from having so low an opinion of the good taste and the intelligence of the citizens of Vancouver as to suppose for a moment that they approve of this low and senseless style of journalism, and we have no doubt that many of them have before now shown their disapproval of it in a manner as striking as it is effective. The World is sadly mistaken if it thinks that its flunkeyism is acceptable to the public of British Columbia. If there is one thing more than another that manly British Columbians despise it is a sycophant, and that is precisely the part which the Vancouver World plays in the theatre of journalism. We venture to say that on this very account its influence is as near to nothing as it is possible for that of a newspaper to be.

Well, to the surprise of the World, no doubt, we, although we have fallen under the displeasure of the Attorney-General, still exist. And more than that, we can assure the World that the COLONIST has not been muzzled. It is still ready to defend itself against all and sundry who attack it, including Mr. Theodore Davie and his henchman, and it will criticize the public acts of even the Attorney-General as often as it believes the public good will be advanced by such criticism.

NOT UNBRITISH.

The News-Advertiser, in discussing "The Public School System," takes exception to the power with which the law invests the Council of Public Instruction. It speaks of that Council as "a tribunal which is entirely foreign to our national institutions." If our contemporary had given a little more attention to the subject it would have found that power to cancel teachers' licenses is invested in some official or some tribunal in every province where a system of public education exists. In this province, previous to the legislation of last session, the Superintendent of Education, by and with the consent of the Lt.-Governor in Council, could cancel a teacher's license. In New Brunswick the Board of Education, appointed by the Government, has the power of cancellation, so it has in Nova Scotia. In Prince Edward Island the same state of things exists, and has long existed. In Ontario, if we are not mistaken, the law invests the Inspector of Schools with the power to cancel certificates to teach, and in Manitoba, we have reason to believe, Inspectors have the same power. We speak in the two last cases from memory not having the school acts of the provinces before us. But we are pretty sure that what we have said will be found to be correct. With regard to the maritime provinces of the East, we know that the tribunals, which the News-Advertiser declares are entirely foreign to the spirit of our national institutions, have long been established, and we have not yet heard a single complaint of the way in which they have exercised their authority. The teachers of those provinces are as intelligent and as independent a set of men and women as are to be found in the Dominion. They do not consider themselves ill-used. They know that the rules and regulations of their respective education departments must be enforced, and they consider it no hardship at all to carry out all they took upon themselves when they obtained licenses and engaged to teach under the education laws of their several provinces. They have perfect confidence in the integrity and impartiality of the various Boards of Education and, as far as our information extends, they would prefer to have any disputes that may arise, with respect to schools and schoolmasters, inquired into, and adjudicated upon by them, rather than by any of the other tribunals.

Those who know anything about the condition of a province in which a system of public schools has been in operation, do not need to be told that disputes and questions peculiar to the system are constantly arising. The conduct, too, of teachers, needs supervision. It has been found that no school system is complete without a tribunal of its own, invested with authority to inquire into and settle school disputes, and to discipline and dismiss teachers who are negligent, incapable, immoral or insubordinate. Without some such central authority, the best of school systems would be thrown into confusion in a very short time—would be, in fact, unworkable. We do not believe that a Council of Public Instruction is more likely to abuse its authority than is any of the Commissions for which the Advertiser shows a partiality. We must say that we cannot see that the teachers of British Columbia are less independent and less fearless than are the teachers of the other provinces. As long as they do their duty faithfully and comply with the regulations fairly well, they need be hardly conscious that such a body as the Council of Instruction is in existence. We have seen some of the teachers of the Province in council, and they did not act as if they were under any undue restraint. They spoke and acted as freely and unconstrainedly as it was possible for them to speak and act. We venture to say that at the meeting of the Teachers' Institute, which was held in Vancouver, a few days ago, and of which our contemporary speaks so highly, the school-masters and school-mistresses did not conduct themselves as if they were groaning under a heavy and a galling yoke. They were not depressed by the iron rule of the Council, and not one of them who had a clean record and a clear conscience had the slightest misgiving as to the permanence of his or her license. The truth seems to be that the Advertiser affects to be scared by a bogey of its own creation.

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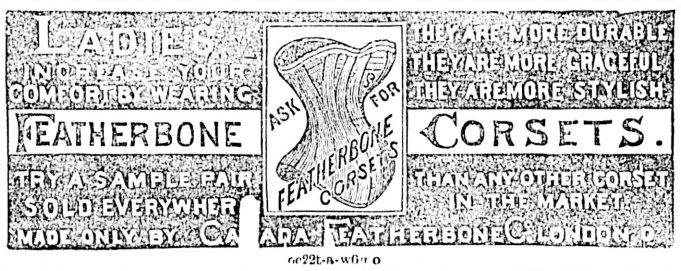

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PRINCIPAL:—Rev. I. B. Pegg, Grk. Honors, 1st Class Latin, Dip. in Tech. Science, Sch. of Mines, Fellow Sc. and Lit., London, &c.
DAY PUPILS:—$8 per month.
EVENING CLASSES for Ladies and Gentlemen in all branches of study at choice, $5 monthly.
TRADESMEN'S accounts kept Books Audited. de7

PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APPLICATION will be made to the Legislature of the Province of British Columbia, at its next session, for an Act to create The Right Reverend John Nicholas Lemmens, D.D., Roman Catholic Bishop of Vancouver Island, and his successors in office, a Corporation Sole, with power to receive, take and hold by gift, lease, purchase, devise or otherwise real and personal estate of every description, and with full power and authority to grant, sell and dispose of the same by sale, mortgage or otherwise.

Dated this 10th day of December, 1891.

S. PERRY MILLS.
46 Langley Street, Victoria.
de10-2m Sole for the Applicant.

"Land Registry Act."

The unsold portions of Sections Nos. 17, 18, 19 and 20 Spring Ridge, Victoria City.

A CERTIFICATE of Indefeasible Title to the above property will be issued to Amor De Cosmos on the 28th day of January, 1892, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the Registrar-General, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said property or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 24th October, 1891. oc25-3m

I WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR any debts contracted by my wife or any other person on her behalf.

JOHN J. RUSSELL,
Strawberry Vale Farm.
Victoria, Dec. 11, 1890. de13-

WANTS.

WANTED—A situation by a young man just from England; six years' experience in the hardware and grocery business in London. Good references given. Address C. D., Colonist office. ja8-6t

WANTED by Japanese situation as kitchen help in private family. Apply to 175 Johnson Street. ja6 3t

WANTED—House and parlor maid. Apply between 10 and 1 at 153 Blanchard St. ja6-1f

WANTED—Sleeping partner, with $700 to $1000 to develop a paying business in rising town of Nanaimo, B. C. "Presto," Box 12, Victoria P. O. ja5-3t-eod

WANTED—Board and lodging for a lady whose husband is away most of the time on commercial business. No children. Private family preferred. Good references given. Address, stating terms, K. B. M., this office. ja3-6t

WANTED—Accounts to collect, books to post, etc. E. Welch, 10 Bank of B. C. Building. de30-1m

WANTED—At Mme. Loraine's Dressmaking School ten bright, intelligent girls with an eye for dressmaking; $6 to $12 per week after a few instructions. Apply Room 8, corner Yates and Douglas, over Cochrane & Munn's. de17-1m

WANTED.

A TEACHER for South Comox School, for ensuing term. Address, stating age and qualifications, &c., to S. J. Cliffe, Secretary of Trustees, South Comox School. de15

FOR SALE OR TO LET.

TO LET—Comfortable bedrooms, with board, in a refined home; bath rooms; terms moderate. 125 Quadra street. ja8-1m

TO LET—Well furnished front rooms, with electric light and fire. Apply to Mrs. Jno. A. Cameron, 98 Yates street, up stairs. ja5 1m

TO LET—One or two comfortably furnished bedrooms, also parlor if desired. Apply 202 Fort Street. ja7-1m

FOR SALE—The "Seattle" Restaurant. Apply to Weiler Bros. ja7-tf

FOR SALE—Saloon with room for 9 boarders, on the outskirts of the city. Tram passes the door. Good trade. Apply Chas Green & Co., auctioneers. ja6

FURNISHED ROOMS—The best and most comfortable furnished and situated rooms at 255 Fort street. ja5 tf

TO LET—139 Michigan street, two well furnished rooms, etc., with use of kitchen if desired. ja5

FOR SALE—4 roomed house and lot, 50x133, on Third Street. Price $1,400; $600 cash. Apply to P. McDonald, Tobacconist, 50 Yates Street. de18

TO LET—House and 1 1-5 acres of land on Gorge Road, fronting on the Arm. Seven rooms and bath room. Hot and cold water laid on. Stable for horse and cow; and servant's room, etc. In addition to water from city mains, there are two wells of water on the premises. Twenty minutes walk from tramway. Apply to E. M. Johnson, corner Government and Broughton Streets. au11

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET at from $6 monthly, or by the day or week, next door to Fullerton's Boot Store, 103 Government Street. de7

NICE HOME—House and land to rent low, near the city. A good and paying business might be established. Address Mr. Robinson, post office, Victoria. de2

LEASE and good-will of first-class private boarding house; centrally situated, with extensive grounds; 27 rooms; a good reason for selling. Apply to CRANE, MCGREGOR & BOGGS, 30 Broad St. Oct 12

FOR SALE—Six roomed cottage, stable, etc. Front and rear entrance; one or two lots. Apply Crane, McGregor & Boggs. Oct. 12.

TO LET—Nine roomed house, large lot, convenient to a good tenant. $25 per month. Apply Crane, McGregor & Boggs. Oct. 12.

FOR SALE—Beautiful residence lot, 60x135, Belcher Avenue, head of Fort street, $950. CRANE, MCGREGOR & BOGGS. Oct 12

FOR SALE.—17½ acres, with running stream of water, 4 miles from post office, $3,250.—Crane, McGregor & Boggs. Oct 13

FOR SALE.—One Water Front Lot on Oak Bay. A beauty. Apply Crane, McGregor & Boggs. Oct 13.

FOR SALE—We have three bargains that we would like to show you this week, No. 1, an 8-room house, large lot, nice trees, etc., electric bells, hot and cold water, etc., price $2,900, $700 cash, balance 3 years at 8 per cent. No. 2, two lots close to tramway, inside city limits, $275 each. No. 3 calls for $3,500, and we will prove that you can clear 150 per cent. in the next two years. Crane, McGregor & Boggs. oc14

FOR SALE.

THE well known Lime business known as the Colwood Lime, which contains two lime kilns, having a capacity of 100 barrels a day. The property contains 41 acres. There are 20 acres of limestone, four acres of sand and 20 acres of wood land: also one fine new brick house, which contains 8 rooms, wood shed, stables for four horses and buggy house, also one cattle shed. All new. The E. & N. R.R. runs through the property, which is only seven miles from Victoria. This is a rare chance for men wanting to go into business, as the owners are leaving for England. For particulars, apply to Thomas Atkins & Sons, Colwood Lime Company. ja6-1m

LAND FURNISHED HOUSE FOR SALE. TO LET.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT } The most desirable property known as "Garbally," comprising three acres of cleared land with charming and valuable water frontage on the Victoria Arm, suitable for residential or business purposes. A commodious cottage, with outhouses, ornamental shrubbery, etc., can be rented.

TO LET—A well furnished seven roomed house, beautifully situated, on Helleville Street, James Bay. Water frontage. For terms apply to JOHN J. AUSTIN, Real Estate Agent, 63 Government Street, Victoria. no6

TO BE LET OR SOLD

HOUSE—9 ROOMS,

Hard finished, with stables, etc., close to station on E. & N. Ry., post office, &c., or will be sold together with good farm of about 200 acres. Good sporting locality. Apply by letter to

S. ASPLAND,
de10-1m 10 South Turner St., Victoria.

NEATLY FURNISHED ROOMS.

FOR DAY, Week or Month, from $6 to $10; and unfurnished room, 23x17, two windows, facing street, suitable for office, 103 Government street. se1-tf

HORSES AND STOCK.

THE ABOVE TAKEN IN TO KEEP for the winter. Good pasture and hay. Large cow shed and stabling; favorable terms. Apply to H. Breed (late McTavish farm), North Saanich; or L. H. Webber, 82 Government street. de22-1m

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore carried on under the firm name of Drake, Jackson & Co., has been dissolved by effluxion of time, Mr. A. St. George Hamersley retiring from the firm.

The business will continue to be carried on by the undersigned under the firm name of "Drake, Jackson & Co.," as heretofore.

R. E. JACKSON,
H. D. HELMCKEN.

Dated at Vancouver, this 11th day of Dec., 1891. } de17 1m

DRY GOODS.

MANCHESTER HOUSE Clearance -:- -:- Sale!

As it is our usual custom not to carry any stock over from one season to another, therefore we have decided to sell our Mantles, Ulsters, Jackets, Fall Dress Goods and all other Winter Goods at cost to clear out.

JACKETS:

Regular price, $5.25 ..... Reduced to $2.00
Regular price, $7.00 ..... Reduced to $3.50
Regular price, $9.00 ..... Reduced to $4.50
Regular price, $5.50 ..... Reduced to $3.00
Ulsters ranging in prices from $4.75 to $9.00, reduced to $3 each.
A lot of Children's Ulsters at half price.
Ladies' Jackets, usual price $6.50, reduced to $4.75.
Ladies' Reefers, Navy and Black, usual price $5.75, reduced to $4.50.
Ladies' Jackets, Beaver Cloth, Braided Sleeves, usual price $10, reduced to $7.50
Ladies' Cloth Jackets, trimmed with Beaver, usual price $11, reduced to $8.50.
Black Serge Reefers, usual price $7, reduced to $5.
Black Serge Reefers, usual price $9.75, reduced to $7.50.
Black Serge Reefers, usual price $13, reduced to $9.75.
Black Beaver Cloth Jackets, heavy braided, usual price $22, reduced to $15.
Serge Jackets, trimmed with beaver, usual price $25, reduced to $18.25.
Beaver Cloth Jackets, trimmed with opossum, usual price $25, reduced to $18.25
Black and Navy Serge Capes, usual price $5, reduced to $3.50.
Black Serge Capes with Hood, faced with silk, and hood silk-lined, usual price $10, reduced to $7,50.
Plaid Lined Capes, usual price $4.50, reduced to $3.35.
Children's Reefers, Navy Blue, usual price $4, reduced to $2.75.
A few Sealette Jackets and Dolmans at cost

DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT.

Dress Tweeds, 1½ yards wide, usual price $1.25, reduced to $1.
Stanley Cloth, 1 yard wide, usual price 50c, reduced to 40c.
Stripe Dress Goods, usual price 30c, reduced to 20c.
Boating Flannel (in stripes), usual price 60c, reduced to 50c.
Cashmeres, 46 inches wide, (all shades), usual price 65c, reduced to 50c.
Striped Wincey, 10 yards for $1.
Plain Dress Goods, 5 yards for $1.
Melton Cloth, 10 yards for $1.
Amazon Cloth, 48 inches wide, usual price 85c, reduced to 65c.
A beautiful line of Spot Cashmeres, 46 in. wide, will be sold out at 40c. per yard.
A large line of other Dress Goods that are reduced to cost.
Canton Flannel, 14 yards for $1.
Flannelette, 10 yards for $1.
A lot of all wool Fascinators at half price.
Children's Black, all wool, Hose, ribbed and plain, from 15c. per pair.

In consequence of the great increase of our General Dry Goods, Millinery and Mantle trade, we have decided to dispose of our whole stock of

Gents' Furnishings,

so will sell the whole stock at cost and under, as we need the room for our Dress Department.

Men's Wool Vests and Drawers, 75c., reduced to 60c.
Men's all wool Vests and Drawers, striped, $1, reduced to 75c.
Men's Scotch lambs' wool Vests and Drawers, $1.25, reduced to $1.
200 wool Vests, odd lines, from 50c. each.
Men's wool Socks, 5 pairs for $1

OUR - MILLINERY

will be reduced, both trimmed and untrimmed, to prices that will astonish.

This sale is for one month, and for Cash only.

REMEMBER THE ADDRESS,

T. Haughton & Co.,

88 YATES ST.

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Carpets.

Largest stock of carpets in the city, at Spencer's Arcade. Estimates given. *

Association Football.

Members of the Victoria club will meet at the hill, this afternoon. A good turn out is requested.

"ILLUSTRATED VICTORIA." Buy it and send one to your friends.

Blank Books.

Kerr & Begg's bookstore, 45 Government street, opp. Bank of British Columbia. *

Nearly All Sold.

Those wanting a barrel of choice Eastern apples should call early, as there are only a few left. tf B. GORDON.

Smoth! Blarney.

If you want one of Jackson's Irish Tweed Suits, call soon, or the Blarneys will all be gone. *

Reduction in Milk.

Owing to the high price of milk, ask your grocer for Highland Brand Evaporated Cream and dilute to taste. It makes a delicious, rich cream for half the price of ordinary cow's cream. *

A Decision To-Day.

Mr. A. L. Belyea, police magistrate, will give a decision in the city police court, at 10 o'clock, this morning, upon the celebrated Standard theatre case. Several other important cases are also listed.

To Keep the Peace.

In the police court, yesterday, the case of threatening to kill, brought against Ah Moy by the interpreter, Tom Chue, was disposed of by Ah Moy being bound over in $500 to keep the peace for six months—himself in $250, Ah Foo in $125, and Wah Hing in $125.

Civic Royal Commission.

It had been expected that the Royal Commissioners to inquire into the administration of public affairs would have met, yesterday, to conclude their work; but, owing to the fact that the Chief Justice was engaged in the Full Court, the Commissioners adjourned until Tuesday morning.

A Pleasant Evening.

This evening a number of well known local amateurs will give a dramatic performance at Victoria West Hall. A rich treat is promised the amusement loving public, as the ladies and gentlemen taking part have all been well trained, and will no doubt make the affair a success. The play is "Sunset," a beautiful little thing by Jerome.

Not Sufficient Evidence.

The Governor-General has considered the case of Emiah, the Indian convicted at the last Westminster assizes for killing a Chinaman, several years ago, and has decided that there was not sufficient evidence against him to warrant such conviction, and has accordingly ordered his release. Constable Allan accompanies Emiah back to Clinton, where he rejoins his people.

An Important Point Settled.

For the past week several ladies and gentlemen have been travelling through British Columbia and elsewhere, and were nearly giving up in despair, when they reached Kingham & Minor's, where they found the most elaborate tea sets and English novelties, and where they could get manufactured just what they wanted. You furnish the idea, we do the rest; prices reasonable, 49 Government street.

Thursday Night's Banquet.

The Masonic banquet at the Lyceum, Broad street, on Thursday evening, proved the adaptability of that hall for the purpose. Supper was served to 150 guests, and well served, too, as is always the case where that noted chef, M. Marbœuf, has the charge. Although the number catered to was unusually large, supper was served promptly, the waiting being all that could be desired, while the food was delicious.

To Defy the Law.

An adjourned meeting of the Licensed Vintners' Association was held, yesterday afternoon. There was a very large attendance of members, and the subject under discussion took up three hours, during which time several spoke on the desirability of testing the new law for closing saloons on Sundays. It was finally decided that one of the most prominent saloon keepers of the city should keep his doors open to-morrow. No doubt there will be keen competition among the energetic members of the police force to discover the culprit.

Canadian Mutual Loan & Investment Co.

Mr. Willis, the general agent for the above company, who has been in the city for the past three weeks, has succeeded in organizing an agency here, with a strong board of directors and officers. At a meeting, held last night, the following gentlemen were appointed: Dr. G. L. Milne, president; R. B. McMicking, vice president; Thomas Hooper, valuator; A. B. Fraser, secretary-treasurer; Richard Hall and Arthur Lee, directors; Belyea & Gregory, solicitors. Messrs. Lee & Fraser have been favored with the local agency, and will be pleased to give all information relative to the workings of the company.

The Seattle Show.

The Seattle Telegraph, speaking of the Poultry and Bench Show now in progress in that city, says that the exhibition is attracting more attention than even the originators had hoped for, and all day yesterday and last evening the room was so crowded that it was difficult to get around. Everyone was pleased and the exhibition is one that is a credit to the chicken and dog fanciers in this state. Mr. S. A. Roberts, of Victoria, who acted as judge, found great difficulty in reaching some of his decisions, for instance in awarding the prizes for English setters. There was one bitch entered by Mark Norton which was so beautiful as to attract universal attention, she was as delicately formed as a fawn, and cream white. The temptation was strong to give her a prize, but she was so far under weight that it was out of the question.

The Victoria Brewing and Ice Co.

A new and important industry is to be established by the Victoria Brewing & Ice Co. Stock to the amount of $150,000 has been subscribed within the last two days by the leading business men of this city, in conjunction with Messrs. Loewen & Erb, of the Victoria Brewery, and Mr. Andrew Heinrich, of the Bay View Brewery of Seattle. About 70,000 will be invested immediately in the erection of first class works capable of producing 100 barrels daily of Lager beer and porter, the effect of which is to have manufactured here an article that is very largely imported at present. Plans are completed, work will be commenced in a week or two, and the institution is to be in operation by the 1st of July. Messrs. Loewen & Erb's business, which has been a large and profitable one, will be merged into the new concern on the 1st of May, and those gentlemen will assume the management of the new Company.

Change of Time.

Until further notice the Union Pacific boat will leave at 7 a.m. instead of 7:30 a.m.

They Must Go.

All Fur Goods, Mantles and Ulsters to be sold at cost at the White House.
s-s-w HENRY YOUNG & Co.

To Receive Reports.

A special meeting of the City Council is to be held at the City Hall, this afternoon, when the annual reports of the several standing committees will be presented.

Money to Loan.

In amounts from $500 to $10,000; must be first-class security.
YOUNG & BARTLETT,
tf. 9 Trounce Ave.

To be Charged Again.

Henry Butler, charged with having a glandered horse in his possession, was, some days ago, brought up before Mr. Dalby, J.P., who remanded the case for eight days. This remand, it was found, being a day beyond the legal space of time, invalidated the summons, so, yesterday, a fresh information was laid on the same charge.

Church of England Chinese Mission.

The room in Herald street was crowded to the doors last evening, the students and their friends being invited to witness a lantern entertainment given by Master Lipscomb. This mission, under the superintendence of Rev. E. F. Lipscomb, with Mr. Moore as teacher, has the help of a number of ladies, and is doing a very successful work.

McLeod Challenged.

J. W. Geogan, manager of the Pastime Athletic Club, of San Francisco, writes the Post-Intelligencer that he has a young amateur wrestler whom he wishes to match against McLeod, the Nanaimo man. The terms proposed are best two in three falls, catch as catch-can, for $250 a side, the match to take place either in San Francisco, Portland or Seattle.

A Magnificent Jewel.

Immediate Past Master W. J. Quinlan, was the recipient of a magnificent jewel at the installation meeting of Victoria-Columbia Lodge, on Thursday evening. Jackson & Mylius, the jewellers who manufactured the trophy, deserve great credit, and it must be quite a satisfaction to the members of craft to know that such work can be done by members of their own fraternity, and at home.

Before purchasing Xmas presents examine Kingham & Minor's stock. No trouble to show goods. 49 Government street. *

Imperial Theatre.

"The Hidden Hand" again greeted a large audience at the Imperial. Miss Dalg'eish as "Capitola" was exceedingly good. Mr. Gray as "Wool" was most amusing, as also was Mr. Belmour as "Old Hurricane" Mr. Armstrong as "Black Donald" was all that could be desired.

At the matinee this afternoon "The Galley Slave" will be played. To-night "The Hidden Hand" will again be presented.

The Late Henry Henly.

Yesterday afternoon, Mr. Henry Henly, who, for the last thirty years, has kept the Henly House at Clover Point, died, to the sincere regret of his many friends, after a brief illness. He was 77 years of age, and for 33 years had kept the establishment with which his name is associated. He arrived in 1858 from England, and since that time has formed many associations and connections, by which he will be greatly missed. He leaves four daughters and three sons. For a long time he was engaged in the industry of raising vegetables and small fruits.

Samaritan Home.

The Ladies' committee acknowledge the following donations in December: Drs. Duncan, Milne and Compton, professional services; St. John's Bazaar, sweets, etc.; Mrs. Raynor, infant's clothing; Mrs. Brown, six night-gowns, warm wrapper; Mrs. Wilson, blanket, piece mackintosh; Mrs. Morrissey, milk; Mr. Pendray, soap; Mr. Walker, one cord of wood; Mrs. Warren, half ton coal; Mrs Higgins, carpet, vegetables, groceries, turkey, curtain; Mrs. Jamieson, mince meat, apples, cake, preserves, tarts; Mr. Earle, groceries; Mrs. Wastie Green, sheet; Mrs. McLean, pair warm curtains; Mrs. Earle, vegetables, cake, eggs, two chickens and sundries.

Sunday Afternoon Concert.

At the Imperial theatre, to-morrow afternoon, the orchestra, under the leadership of Mr. J. J. Cross, and augmented to fifteen men, will present the following choice programme of instrumental music:

Overture—Concert .... Richter
Selection—I Puritani .... Bellini
Waltzes—Caprices de Femmes .... Godfrey
Descriptive Fantasie—A Village Festival .... Woolf
Clarinet Solo—Divertissement .... Beyer
Mr. John Hughes.
Concert Polonaise—On Mountain Heights .... Kiesler
Overture—In the Highlands .... Gade
Waltzes—One Thousand and One Nights .... Strauss
Lachtaubchen—La Tourterelle .... Eilenberg
Selection—Chimes of Normandie .... Planquette
Selection—Pirates of Penzance .... Sullivan
God Save the Queen.

Wife and Husband.

Henry Yates, the late care-taker of the quarantine station, was locked up yesterday in the provincial jail, and at the time the handcuffs were put on he was in a state of absolute drunkenness. His wife had sworn out a warrant that certain articles of jewelry had been stolen from her, and the provincial department, with its usual activity, succeeded in tracing the stolen goods—they were in the possession of Yates, and had been offered in pledge to several local pawnbrokers. The pawnbrokers, however, were not to be taken in, and suspecting that everything was not right sent for the police. Yates admitted that he had taken the jewelry from his wife's case, but says that having contributed the articles he has a right to claim them. The verdict in the case was postponed.

Hog Cholera.

Having received information from various sources that infectious diseases were prevalent among the hogs in this neighborhood, Inspector F. S. Roper visited a ranche on the Esquimalt road, on the 5th inst., where he found eleven hogs suffering from hog cholera. He ordered their immediate destruction and deep burial. Learning that some hogs from this ranche had been slaughtered and sold in Victoria, Mr. Roper next traced fourteen of them to a pork shop on Yates street. The owner, however, on discovering that they had been diseased, did not expose them for sale. The inspector ordered these to be also buried deep in the ground. Mr. Roper, yesterday, visited seven or eight ranches at Cadboro Bay, where he found all the pens clean and the hogs in good condition. He will continue till he has visited all the ranches in this vicinity.

Died of His Injuries.

Mr. J. W. Hannan, who attempted to commit suicide by cutting his throat with a razor, a few weeks ago, died as a result of his injuries at the Jubilee hospital, last night.

Alberni

Will be the next jump in values. Acreage adjoining the Anderson Reserve. Particulars on application.
CRANE, MCGREGOR & BOGGS,
tf 30 Broad street.

To be Announced To-Day.

The arbitrators upon the difference between the contractor and the trustees of the Pandora street Methodist church decided upon their award, last evening, but it will not be made public until 10 o'clock, this morning.

Quality and Quantity.

That is what you get when you buy the old reliable Wellington coal. A large supply constantly on hand and sold at current rates. Hall, Goepel & Co., 100 Government street. Telephone call No. 83. 6m

Died in Westminster.

A brief telegram was received last evening, announcing the death in New Westminster, of Mr. S. T. McIntosh. The deceased was a young man in his prime, formerly a resident of this city, where he married, and where he leaves many friends.

Ladies are saying O'Kell & Morris' Jams are excellent. *

A Pleasant Dance.

The Thistle Club held their regular weekly dance at the Sir William Wallace hall last night. Reynard's band was in attendance, and there were about twenty-five couples present. Seventeen dances were on the programme, and it was morning before a very pleasant gathering broke up.

The Coming Show.

The secretary of the Poultry, Dog and Pet Stock Association is being kept busy taking entries of dogs and poultry for the show. A feature of this exhibition is that every exhibit will have a price set on it by the owner, at which the owner is obliged to sell if an offer is made. There are already over $2,000 worth of dogs entered, besides poultry and ornamental fowls. The entries close on Monday.

A Self-Appointed Champion.

At an important meeting of the Trades and Labor Council, last evening, a vote of thanks was passed to the retiring secretary, Mr. W. H. Ireland, and the press committee was requested to inform the public that Mr. George J. Cook has not been authorized by any body of organized labor to represent himself as the "Workingman's Candidate," that being a title entirely self-conferred. The new officers of the Council for the next six months are as below: President, R. Chipchase; vice-president, S. H. Shanks; secretary, G. A. Grant; treasurer, J. Fraser; sergeant-at-arms, A. McLaren.

Rugby Football.

A return match will be played at Beacon Hill, this afternoon, at 3 o'clock, between players representing England and the Colonies; both sides are strongly represented, and a keen game is expected. The following teams have been chosen to represent the respective sides: England—Messrs. Earsman, Roberts, Hugonin, Blakie, Martin, Haines, Maurice, Barrett, Lowe, Prior, Billinghurst, Blandy, Fraser, Armfelt and Armit. The Colonies—Ward, Combe, Crease, Miller, Fletcher, Barnard, Crease, Langley, Hibben, Brimstone, Dewar, Barker, Trail, McConnan and another. All players are requested to be on the field early, as the game will start sharp on time.

The Political Campaign

Last night, at the call of Mr. Bragg, the Hillside schoolhouse on King's road was packed to the doors with voters of Johnson Street Ward and others interested. There were present on the platform Messrs. Baker, (chairman), James Baker, Humber, Bragg, Hon. Robert Beaven, Coughlan, Devlin, Meldram and Cook, all candidates for municipal honors, and all of whom addressed the meeting, which was a most attentive one. Each speaker touched briefly on city affairs, and each was loudly applauded at the conclusion of his remarks. The speech of Hon. Robert Beaven was received most favorably by all present. During the coming week these meetings will come thick and fast.

A Very Big Law Suit.

The Seattle Post-Intelligencer says: "The property of W. P. Sayward, owner of the Port Madison Mill Company, situated in King, Pierce, Kitsay and Mason Counties, will be attached to-day on a suit brought in the Superior Court yesterday by Dexter Horton & Co., to recover $227,768.86. Harrington & Smith were the original owners of the claim. For the past eight or ten years Harrington & Smith have furnished supplies, cashed time checks, and otherwise transacted large business with the Port Madison Mill Company. The claim was assigned to Dexter, Horton & Co. on October 9, 1891. The plaintiffs filed bonds for attachment in the sum of $500,000 and a writ was at once issued. Last night some of the property in King County was attached. Today the mill and property in other counties will be placed under attachment."

PERSONALS.

Alex Ewen came over from the Mainland last night.

Ex-Mayor John Hendry, of Westminster, is in the city.

J. W. Ross, of Montreal, is a guest at the Oriental.

A. R. Creigh, of Chicago, is staying at the Oriental.

E. E Rand came over from the Sound last evening.

Mrs. J. E. Hunter was a passenger by the City of Kingston last evening.

Miss Crickmay and Miss Finlayson were passengers by the Islander last evening.

W. M. Whiteway, who resided in this city some years ago, has recently returned and has opened an office as architect at Room 22, Five Sisters' Block.

Lewis Lewis and Morris Moss left last night for California. Mr. Lewis has been in delicate health for several months, and hopes in a dryer climate to recuperate. Mr. Moss is on a similar mission.

W. D. Birchall, of the Toronto Silver Plate Company, has been confined to his room at the Driard since his arrival last Tuesday, with a severe attack of La Grippe. His doctor expects him to be around again by the end of the week.

Closing Out Sale.

Lange & Co. are selling their stock of diamonds, watches, jewelry, etc., at cost price. They must close out their stock as their lease expires this year. Watch and jewelry repairing will, however, be continued as usual. *

MARINE MOVEMENTS.

ALONG THE WATER FRONT, JAN. 8.—

Steamer T. W. Carter went out to Trial Island early this morning and brought back with her the pilot sloop, Helen, which was wrecked a few days ago. She was put on the beach to-day, and her damages were found to consist of a large hole in the bottom, which can be easily repaired.

Steamer Velos came over from Vancouver this morning, with a scow load of lumber.

Steamer Hope arrived down from Nanaimo this morning.

H. M. S. Pheasant is in the dry-dock, receiving a complete overhauling, and is having numerous small repairs made. She will be in dock about ten days.

The Str. North Pacific came over from the Sound this morning, in place of the Victorian, which will either be put on another route or else be laid up for the winter season, owing to the scarcity of freight now moving on the Sound.

Steamer Barbara Boscowitz sailed this evening for northern ports, with a medium sized general cargo and a number of passengers, among them being J. Grant, N. Trigon, J. McGinnis and twenty-six Indians.

Steamer Michigan arrived in from Portland at about two o,clock to-day, with a very light freight for this port. She had 75 tons in all of general merchandise, of which thirty-two tons were for the mainland cities. Before coming into the inner harbor she discharged 210 sacks of cornmeal for the Brackman & Ker Co., at the outer wharf.

Steamer Falcon brought down coal from Nanaimo, to-day.

The following were the passengers by the steamer Walla Walla from San Francisco to Victoria to-day: Mrs. Quirk, N. Bone, G. H. Pierce, J. N. Jansen, L. C. Coffin, Mrs. C. Morgan and child, T. Halthan, and J. Gariner.

ENTERED.

Str. Islander	from	Vancouver.
" Yosemite	"	N. Westminster.
" City of Kingston	"	Port Townsend.
" North Pacific	"	" "
" Michigan	"	Portland.
" Hope	"	Nanaimo.
" Velos	"	Vancouver.
" Falcon	"	Nanaimo.

CLEARED.

Str. Islander	for	Vancouver.
" City of Kingston	"	Port Townsend.
" North Pacific	"	" "
" Yosemite	"	N. Westminster.
" Velos	"	Vancouver.
" Boscowitz	"	Port Simpson.
" T. W. Carter	"	Port San Juan.
" Michigan	"	New Whatcom.

AN ANSWER WANTED.

TO THE EDITOR:—What say the candidates for municipal honors and emolument about the Corporation giving liberally towards the support of the Jubilee hospital? It is in the city and benefits the city—an invaluable institution. Twenty dollars at Christmas!!!
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AN AMATEUR
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(By well known Victorians) in aid of the above Church, will be held in the VICTORIA WEST HALL, at 8 p.m.,
SATURDAY NEXT, JAN. 9,
Play by Jerome K. Jerome, entitled
"SUNSET,"
Followed by the farce "TURN HIM OUT."
Tickets 50 cents. ja5-5t

VICTORIA JOCKEY CLUB.
NOTICE.
A SPECIAL General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Victoria Jockey Club will be held in the City Hall, on TUESDAY JAN. 12, at 8 p.m. Business important.
W. H. BAINBRIDGE,
ja5-td Sec'y.

AGRICULTURAL BALL.
THE SAANICH AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY will hold its Annual Ball and Supper on Thursday, 11th of February. Tickets $2, ladies and gentlemen.
W. ARMSTRONG,
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THE ANGEL OF DEATH

Reveals the Secret of a Clandestine Marriage—A Very Sad Story.

How Mr. and Mrs. Peter Driscoll Learned that Their Daughter was a Wife.

The fact that the daughter of Peter Driscoll, of Seattle, and Archie J. Stanley were secretly married last April came to light only by the death of Mrs. Stanley. Stanley is a son of William P. Stanley of 703 Cherry street. Mrs. Stanley was Nellie, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Driscoll, who reside in an unpretentious home near the Madison-street power house on the northwest corner of Massillion and Decatur streets. As the marriage occurred last April a strange feature of the case lies in the fact that it was not known either to the parents of Stanley or those of his bride.

The first intimation that the aged parents had of their daughter's marriage came on the heels of news of her death yesterday noon when her body, enclosed in a coffin, was deposited in their home. A new-born babe lying lifeless upon the young mother's arm gave a sad intimation of a tale that was yet to be unfolded to them by the husband and father. Mrs. Stanley had died in maternity.

About two years ago young Stanley, who had just attained his majority, met Nellie Driscoll in this city. An acquaintance was formed which soon ripened into friendship and love. His attentions and affections were met with favor it appears from the beginning. The young couple were from that time on, much in each other's society. They were to be seen at nearly all the balls given at the armory. Nellie was a graceful dancer, and, aside from this accomplishment, quite comely. She had blue eyes, very dark hair, and an unusually fair complexion. There were a score or more admirers and suitors for her hand. But she would give it to none save Stanley. Finally the secret of their love was made known to Nellie's parents. They told of their engagement and asked permission to marry at once. This was about a year ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Driscoll could offer no objections to the match, save that their daughter was too young. Archie and the girl were requested to postpone the marriage until Nellie became older. No displeasure was manifested by the young couple at the advice. Early last April, Stanley and Nellie went on one of the steamboat excursions to Victoria. While there they were married, the mother says, in one of the Episcopal churches in that city. They returned home, but not a word was said of the marriage. Soon after this the young bride informed her parents that she had procured employment in a store at Victoria, and she was allowed to go, and, as the parents supposed, was in such employment at the time of her death.

In the meantime, Stanley had likewise taken up a residence in Victoria. He found employment in the electric light works, and the young couple went to housekeeping; but no word of the marriage reached the parents of Stanley or his bride. Last Tuesday, Mr. Driscoll received a telegram from Stanley, saying that his daughter was dying. She died that afternoon. Just before death relieved her, she called Stanley to her bedside, and, holding their marriage certificate in her hands, bade him take it at once to her aged parents, and show to them that she had not dishonored them.—Seattle Telegraph.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Money closed at 2½ per cent; the lowest rate. The highest rate was 3. Exchange closed steady at 2; posted rates 484 to 486; actual rates 484½ to 485 for demand. Governments' closed steady. Currency sixes, 109 bid; fours coupon, 117 bid; extended twos registered, 100 bid. Pacific [illegible] as follows: Union first, 107½ bid; Union sinking funds, 107¼ bid; Centrals, 107 bid.

The dealings on the stock exchange this morning were again on a very large scale. The sales to noon amounted to 283,900 shares. The opening was feverish with most stocks, showing small advances over those of last evening. The general list was fractionally higher at the end of the hour than it closed, last night. During the second hour the market was less active, and the general market changed but slightly. The best prices all around were generally current at 12 o'clock. The advance at noon ranged from ⅛ to 2 per cent. The activity of the market continued after 12 o'clock, but prices were unsettled and irregular in some stocks, as on several previous afternoons of the week. There were heavy realizations and a consequent sharp decline. New England was the feature of the day, and closed 2½ per cent. higher in the last hour. There was a concerted selling movement in Chicago gas, Union Pacific and New England. It was announced by the brokers, who were the most active in selling, that they were after stop orders, this caused considerable weakness near the close. The general market closed irregularly, and in many cases slightly lower than last night's figures. The sales for the day amounted to 588,746 shares.

Closing prices:—Pacific Mail, 38⅝; Western Union Telegraph, 80¾; Northwest, 116¼; Northern Pacific, 25¼; Northern Pacific first mortgage bonds, 115; Canadian Pacific, 93¼; Oregon Improvement bonds, 102; Union Pacific, 31⅝; Missouri Pacific, 63¼; Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe, 44⅞; Denver and Rio Grande, 16; Oregon Navigation, 88¾; Central Pacific, 44⅞; Texas Pacific, 13¼; Great Northern, 121; Manitoba, 115¼; Fargo Express, 140; Bar Silver, 95¼; Commercial Cable, 148½.

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Flour closed quiet but steady. Wheat options opened lower, and during the morning prices were irregular, the market fluctuating slightly on a moderate business. The large clearance of wheat in the afternoon started some covering, and the market became strong, advancing ½c to ⅝c, but toward the close the market weakened again and closed ⅛c to ⅜c lower. Spot lots closed weak and 1⅛c lower. Spot sales of No. 2 Red winter, $1.04; do., Jan., $1.02⅝; Feb., $1.03⅝; Mar., $1.10⅞; April, $1.05⅛; May, $1.04⅝. Sugar—Raw, quiet but firm. 89 test muscovado, 3⅛c; 96 test centrifugal, 3½c. Refined, fairly active. Cut loaf and crushed, 5⅛c; powdered, 4 7-16c; granulated, 4⅛c to 4⅜c; cubes, 4 7-16c; mould A, 4 7-16c; confectioner's "A," 4⅛c. Coffee—Spot lots steady; fair Rio cargoes, 16½c. Futures closed steady, Rio or Santos, No. 7, Jan., $12.45; do. Feb., $12.05; do. March, $11.85. Hops—At London nothing offering; business in the market at the moment; prices remained unchanged and steady. Petroleum closed at 63⅝.

CHICAGO, Jan. 8.—Cattle—Receipts, 81,000; strong. Dressed beef and shipping steers, $3 to $6; stockers and feeders, $1.25 to $3 50; cows and bulls, $1.25. Hogs—Receipts, 35,000. strong, and 5 to 10 cents higher; heavy, $4 to $4.25; mixed and medium, $4.07½ to $4.20; light, $4 to $4.20. Sheep—Receipts, 5,000; strong and 10 cents higher. Poor to choice, $3.75 to $5.75; lambs, $4.75 to $6.60.

CHICAGO, Jan. 8.—Wheat was very unsettled to-day. It started weak on heavy selling by discouraged holders and on weak cables, and established a decline of 1⅛c. Then it became strong on a reported cold wave and fully recovered the loss; closing unchanged from yesterday. Receipts, 93 cars.

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Bradstreet's letter says that Canada had 46 failures, this week, against a like number one and two years ago. The exports of wheat (including flour) are increasing again as per special advices to Bradstreet's, amounting to 5,325,000 bushels within a week, against from 50 to 60 per cent. over the two preceding weeks.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—The Treasury Department, to-day, purchased 1,095,000 ounces of silver at 9 44 to 9.46 cents per ounce. The offers were 1,947,000 ounces.

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Victoria, B. C., Jan. 2, 1892. de3-12c

NOTICE.

IN CITY POUND—One bay horse, white face, brand A T on left hip. Will be sold at auction on Wednesday, January 20th, at 12 o'clock noon, if not redeemed and pound charges paid on or before that date. By order of the Mayor and Aldermen.
ANDREW SHAW, Poundkeeper.
Victoria, Jan, 7, 1892. ja8

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Victoria, B. C., Dec'r. 22nd, 1891. de25 2w

In the Matter of the Estate of Elizabeth Andrich, deceased.

ALL PERSONS having claims against the estate of the above-named deceased are hereby requested to furnish particulars thereof to the undersigned forthwith; and all persons indebted to said deceased are hereby requested to pay such indebtedness forthwith to the undersigned.
Dated this 30th day of December, A. D. 1891.
DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
Solicitors for Joseph Nicolaye, Executor.
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MUNICIPAL ELECTION

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the Electors of the Municipality of Victoria that I require the presence of the said Electors at the City Hall on Monday, the 11th day of January, 1892, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing persons to represent them in the Municipal Council as Mayor and Aldermen.

The mode of nomination of candidates shall be as follows:

The candidates shall be nominated in writing, the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the municipality, as proposer and seconder; and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of the notice and 2 p.m. of the day of nomination; and, in the event of a poll being necessary, such poll for the election of Mayor will be opened on Thursday, the 14th day of January, 1892, at the City Hall aforesaid.

For the election of Aldermen on the 14th day of January, 1892, at the respective places following, that is to say:

For Johnson Street Ward at the City Hall aforesaid.

For Yates Street Ward at Burnes' Building, Bastion Square.

For James Bay Ward at Storey's Building, Northwest corner of Government and Broughton Streets of the said city.

The polls will be opened at 8 a.m. and close at 4 p.m., of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

Given under my hand at Victoria the 4th day of January, 1892.
W. K. BULL,
ja5 Returning Officer.

A BY-LAW

To Regulate the Election of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Victoria for the year 1892.

WHEREAS it is provided by law that the nomination for Mayor and Aldermen shall be held on the second Monday in January of each year from 12 m. to 2 p.m., and the polling, if any, on the Thursday following from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., and it is further provided that the Council shall in the month of December in each year appoint a returning officer, and shall also name the polling place and otherwise arrange for the holding of the coming election, and it is further provided that the polling, if any, at such election shall be had and taken at such place or places as the Council shall by by-law appoint therefor;

BE IT ENACTED by the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. The nomination of candidates for the respective offices of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Victoria shall take place at the City Hall in the aforesaid city on Monday, the 11th day of January, 1892.

2. In case a poll shall be demanded at the election of Mayor the vote of the electors thereon shall be taken by ballot at the City Hall aforesaid on Thursday, the 14th day of January aforesaid.

3. In case a poll shall be demanded at the election of Aldermen for any ward the vote of the electors thereon shall be taken by ballot on the day aforesaid at the respective places following, that is to say:

For Johnson Street Ward at the City Hall aforesaid; for Yates Street Ward at Burnes Building, Bastion Square, and for James Bay Ward at Storey's Building, northwest corner of Government street and Broughton streets in the said city.

4. The provisions of the "Election By-Law," No. 36, passed in the year 1888, and the schedules thereto in so far as applicable and not inconsistent with this by-law and "The Municipal Act," shall be read with and form part of this by-law.

5. William King Bull is hereby appointed the Returning Officer at the said elections.

This by-law may be cited for all purposes as the "Municipal Election By-Law, 1892."

Passed the Municipal Council the 30th day of December, A.D. 1891.

Re-considered and finally passed the Council this 2nd day of January, A.D., 1892.

[L.S.] W. D. McKILLICAN, Chairman.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
ja3 C. M. C.

FROM AND AFTER this date I shall not be responsible for any debts contracted without my written authority.
W. F. TOLMIE.
Dated the 2d day of September, A.D. 1891.
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KASLO CITY,
KOOTENAY LAKE, B. C.

The owners of the townsite of Kaslo City, on the northwest shore of Kootenay Lake, now offer the investing public an opportunity to purchase lots in what is destined to be, from its location in the centre of the richest mining districts, the chief city of Kootenay. Unlike many mountain towns, it is most favorably situated on a gentle slope from the waters of a sheltered bay on Kootenay Lake, and is supplied, for domestic and manufacturing purposes, by a large stream of pure cold water.

The discoveries during the present year of numerous mines of remarkably rich ore and great width on Kaslo River and east of Slocan Lake are well known to the public. They have attracted the attention of capitalists and miners all over the continent, and there is no question that these mines, which are tributary to KASLO CITY, will receive more attention than those of any other section of Kootenay Lake.

The remarkable growth of Butte, Denver, Virginia City, Helena and other cities, and the great fortunes that have been made in each, should be sufficient inducement to investors to buy in Kaslo City. The mines that were the chief factors in building up these wealthy towns did not give as rich promise as the ledges in the neighborhood of Kaslo City. That Kaslo will have a marvelous growth also is not now questioned by anyone acquainted with the circumstances.

A spacious hotel has been built for the accommodation of travelers. Stores and other building have also been erected. The townsite is being cleared and streets graded so as to forward the large amount of building that will be in progress as soon as material is secured for construction. A trail has been built to the mines, which will be replaced by a wagon road as soon as the work can be prosecuted. The grade to the mines is an easy one. An application for a charter to build a railway line into the mines from Kaslo will be made to the coming session of the Legislature. Everything is being done that circumstances will permit to give easy access to the mines and furnish supplies for the miners. KASLO CITY will have a large population this summer. It will become the supply depot for the richest mining section yet discovered in British Columbia. If you wish to participate in the profits that enhanced values will bring, don't fail to invest in Kaslo City. Lots are on sale at the offices of all the Leading Real Estate Brokers in the Province, and at

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For Plumper Pass—Saturday at 7 o'clock.
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Oh, the waiting in the watches of the night!
In the darkness, desolation and contrition, and affright;
The awful hush that holds us shut away from all delight;
The ever-weary fancy that forever weary goes,
Recounting ever over every aching loss it knows—
The ever weary eye-lids gasping ever for repose—
In the dreary, weary watches of the night.

Dark—stifling dark—the watches of the night!
With tingling nerves at tension, how the blackness flashes white,
With spectral visitations smitten past the inner sight!—
What shuddering sense of wrongs we've wrought, that may not be redressed—
Of tears we did not brush away—of lips we left unpressed,
And hands that we let fall, with all their loyalty ungues ed!
Ah! the empty, empty watches of the night.

What solace in the watches of the night!—
What frailest staff of hope to stay—what faintest shaft of light!
Do we dream and dare believe it, that by never weight of right
Of our own poor weak deservings, we shall win the dawn at last—
Of our famished souls find freedom from this penance for the past,
In the faith that reaps and lightens from the gloom that flees aghast—
Shall we survive the watches of the night?

One leads us through the watches of the night—
By the ceaseless intercession of our loved ones lost to sight,
He is with us through all trials, in his mercy and his might;—
With our mothers there about him, all our sorrow disappears,
Till the silence of our sobbing is the prayer the Master hears,
And his hand is laid upon us with the tenderness of fears,
In the waning of the watches of the night.

—James Whitcomb Riley.

CIVIC REFORMS.

To THE EDITOR: The City of Victoria has outgrown its form of Government, and until this be modified, it will go on blundering and stumbling. One thing desirable, is that there should be a well-paid, skilful polyglot engineer at the head, and that he should hold office during good behaviour; the present system of appointing annually being done away with. This officer should have charge of all public works, and from him should come all recommendations of works to be undertaken, repaired or renewed of course, in the shape of recommendations to the Mayor and Aldermen. Of course he must have subordinate officers under his command—in fact the Corporation should have permanent efficient heads of Departments. It is simply ridiculous to suppose that a dozen greenhorns, of no great weight or knowledge, elected every year, should be able to carry on corporation works, and so forth, of which they know nothing, and have not had any preliminary training. It is undoubtedly true that the election of aldermen is of more importance to the city than the election of members of the local House, which in reality have but little to do with the municipality—a municipality containing one-fourth of the whole population of the province of British Columbia. No one, however, seems to think so, possibly because aldermen are not so well paid as members of the Legislature! Honor and glory are no longer valued or valuable.

Further, it seems that the present method of raising municipal revenue is fundamentally wrong and grossly unfair as well as unequal. Take the Sewerage by-law, for instance, A man holding thirty feet on Government street will pay fifty times more than a man holding the same on Cook street, although the advantage of the sewer is not greater to the one than to the other. Other works of a similar nature might be mentioned did space allow. Each lot fronting on the sewers should be taxed at so much per foot equally, and the same may be said of roads, sidewalks and some others; and if people have cellars they should bear the expense of draining them, and not be continually draining the Corporation money boxes. If this legitimate equal taxation of land be not made, there will be, as there has been and is now, a constant demand for new roads, sidewalks, sewers, water pipes, lighting, and so forth; for every man who owns a lot in the outskirts, and, perhaps, pays five or ten dollars per annum taxes to the Corporation, will want these works, although supplying him may cost two or three hundred dollars—a precious good bargain for him, but ruinous to the rest! If these people be made to pay for the "betterment of their property," there will not be so much grabbing at the Corporation cash-bag, and then it may contain something for legitimate purposes. Whether these improvements be made by "loan" or not, the same holds good. They must pay the same proportion of the interest on the loan and sinking fund.

Again, it is utterly ruinous for the Corporation to borrow money, say, on twenty-year loans, for making so-called improvements of a temporary nature, lasting only four or five years; and yet this is what the Corporation has been doing! It is equally ruinous to pay for "repairs" out of borrowed money, all these ought to be paid out of the taxes of the year, or, as it is called, current revenue. If the present financial system be continued the Corporation will never have sufficient money for even repairs—and the city will soon be overwhelmed, and perhaps already is, with loans and debts.

Of course, this is not intended to advocate that the most valuable lots should only return to the Corporation the same amount as the less—far from it; for ordinary repairs and some other matters the rate should be in proportion to the value of the property—but, for betterment of lots, let the lots pay, and, if they will not, then let them bear quietly inconveniences which other people had formerly to bear and removed out of their "own pockets"—and, here let it be said, that the Corporation should not take over new streets unless they be of good width, hard rocks removed and bed previously graded. The corporation should not give a bonus of roads to those who hold land and cut it into lots. Let the holder or buyer pay to make them accessible.

The above are only intended to be points for consideration but rely on it, Victoria has outgrown a form of government suited only for days long past, and which has caused many harsh and very, probably, undeserved censures to be hurled at past and present mayors and aldermen. They have, undoubtedly, been doing more than their means allowed, contrary to law, and for this they are responsible.

There are, just now, aspirants offering their services. Do they know as much as their predecessors? Have they any ideas at all about the duties they are offering their services for, and, if they have, can and will they honestly perform them, not for their own, but for the benefit of the citizens at large? Let us have some decency, at all events, perfection cannot be, as the mayor and aldermen will not, at all events, be any better than those who elect them!! This is where the fault lies. We are all tarred with the same brush! Some may be more dirty—that's all.

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ASTRONOMICAL.

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 9, 1892.

Sun rises......7:51 a.m. | Sun sets......4:23 p.m.
Moon rises at 3.20 p.m.
Day of the year, 9th.

N.B.—The above calculations are based on mean solar time, which is 13m. 32s. *slower* than Victoria standard time.

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, Jan. 9, 1892.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p m.

1 a. m..	38°	Mean	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	37°	37°	
9 a. m..	36°	Highest	5 a.m.—4 miles N.
1 p. m..	38°	38°	1 p.m.—8 miles N.
5 p. m..	38°	Lowest	9 p.m.—12 miles N.
9 p. m..	37°	35°	Rain—0 07

Average state of weather—Cloudy.
E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

WEATHER FOR DECEMBER, 1891.

ESQUIMALT, B. C., Jan. 2, 1892.

Atmospheric Pressure—The mean atmospheric pressure reduced to sea level was 29.873 inches. The greatest pressure (30.531) occurred at 5 p. m. of the 10th, and the least (28.809) at 5 a. m. of the 29th, giving a monthly range of 1.722 inches.

Temperature—The mean temperature was 40°.27, being 0°.78 below the average, and 3°.40 lower than in 1890. The highest temperature (58°.0) occurred on the 16th, and the lowest (28°.4) on the 24th, giving a monthly range of 29°.6. The warmest day was the 16th, mean temperature 49°.7, and the coldest day was the 24th, mean temperature 32°.9.

Humidity—The mean humidity was 87.

Cloudiness—The mean amount of cloud was 0.74. There were 8 cloudy, and 23 partially cloudy days.

Precipitation—Rain fell on 22 days to a depth of 11.24 inches, being 6.31 inches above the average, and 2.91 inches more than in 1890. Snow and sleet fell on 8 days melting as it fell, the greatest fall being on 12th and 13th, making a total precipitation of rain and melted snow 12.58 inches.

Wind—The total miles in wind was 7222 being an average velocity without regard to direction of 9.70 miles per hour. Most windy day, the 29th, 638 miles, mean velocity of 26.58 miles per hour. Least windy day the 5th, 72 miles, mean velocity of 3.00 miles per hour. Greatest velocity in one hour 42 miles, from 10 to 11 a.m. of the 9th.

Fog—On 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 6th 10th, 11th, 17th, 23rd, 24th.

Snow and Sleet—On 5th, 12th, 13th 20th, 25th, 29th, 30th, 31st.

Rainbow—On 2nd.

Aurora—On the 9th.

E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

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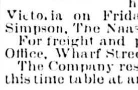

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In the Matter of J. H. Edwards, deceased, intestate; and in the Matter of the Official Administrator's Act, 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that I, the undersigned, William Monteith, have been appointed under an Order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, dated 26th October, 1891, Administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of J. H. Edwards, deceased.

All parties indebted to the said estate are hereby notified to pay to me, forthwith, their said indebtedness; and those having claims there against are required to present same to me within sixty days from this date.

Victoria, B. C., 22nd Dec., 1891.
WM. MONTEITH,
de23 Official Administrator.

In the Matter of Wm. Morrison, deceased, intestate; and in the Matter of the Official Administrator's Act, 1890.

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Going North, Read Down: No. 3 Passenger Daily	Going North: No. 1 Passenger Saturdays and Sundays	Miles f'm Victoria	Stations	Miles f'm Wellington	Going South, Read Up: No. 1 Passenger Daily	Going South: No. 3 Passenger Saturdays and Sundays
A.M.	P.M.				P.M.	P.M.
De 8.00	De 2.30		VICTORIA	78	Ar 12. 1	Ar 5.58
" 8.04	" 2.31	1	RUSSELL'S, Vic. W	77	" 12.20	" 5.54
" 8.11	" 2.44	4	ESQUIMALT	74	" 12.10	" 5.44
" 8.39	" 3.09	11	GOLDSTREAM	67	" 11.45	" 5.19
" 9.31	" 4.01	28	SHAWNIGAN L'E	50	" 10.50	" 4.21
" 9.44	" 4.11	31	COBBLE HILL	47	" 10.40	" 4.11
" 9.57	" 4.29	35	McPHERSON'S	43	" 10.27	" 3.59
" 10.07	" 4.39	38	KOKSILAH	40	" 10.17	" 3.49
" 10.12	" 4.44	40	DUNCAN'S	38	" 10.12	" 3.44
" 10.22	" 4.51	43	SOMENOS	35	" 10.02	" 3.31
" 10.48	" 5.16	52	CHEMAINUS	26	" 9.35	" 3.12
Ar 11.50 / De 11.59	" 6.14	73	NANAIMO	5	De 8.34 / Ar 8.25	" 2.14
Ar 12.11	Ar 6.29	78	WELLINGTON		De 8.1	De 1.53
P.M.					A.M.	P.M.

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In view of the low rate of interest given by the Dominion Savings Bank Department, and the restrictions imposed as to the amount to be deposited, this Company is now prepared to receive money on deposit, in large or small amounts, at interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, and on favorable terms as to notice, etc.

The offices of the Company have been removed to 40 Government street, the premises lately occupied by the Telegraph Company.

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GREAT XMAS SALE

—OF NEW—

JAPANESE GOODS

Just received by last steamer, consisting of all kinds of Silk Goods, Tea Sets, Vases, Trays, Cabinets, Writing Desks, Screens, Chairs, Tables, Toys of all kinds, great variety of Curios, Bronzeware, etc. The finest lot of Xmas Goods in the city.

ROKUBAN CO.,

150 Government Street.

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The Colonist.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 9, 1892.

DIED.

HENLY—At Clover Point, on the 8th instant Henry Henly, a native of Swinton, Eng., aged 77 years.

Funeral will take place on Sunday from his late residence, at 2.30 o'clock. Friends are cordially invited to attend.

WILSON—In this city on the 6th inst., Peter Wilson, a native of Lancashire, England, aged 46 years.

The funeral will take place TO-DAY at 2 o'clock from his late residence, Edmonton road, and at Emanuel Baptist church, Spring Ridge, at 2:30 p. m. Friends are invited to attend.

NOTICE.

To the Members of L. O. L. 178.

THE BRETHREN are requested to attend at their hall, Fernwood Road, Spring Ridge, on Saturday, 9th inst., at 1 o'clock, to attend the funeral of late Bro. P. Wilson Members of sister lodges are invited to be present.

By order,

W. H. SPOFFORD, N. G.
A. R. SHERK, Hon. Sec.

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LITTLE LOCALS.

The Sheung Mau case has been again remanded until Monday.

Mr. Geo. J. Cook again addressed the electors last evening.

Try Falconer's super Flavoring extracts for pies, puddings and jellies. fr-sa

M M Aprons, at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, 80 Douglas street. *

Tools for the Boys at CHEAPSIDE.

The return game of football, England vs. The Colonies, will be played today.

"The Midnight Alarm" booked for The Victoria last evening, failed to connect.

The next attraction at The Victoria is Kate Claxton—on the 22nd and 23rd.

Sheffield Cutlery.—For cutlery of all kinds go to Fox's, 78 Government street. A new stock just opened. 1m

A line of nice pocket knives, razors, scissors, and table cutlery, just opened at Fox's, 78 Government street. *

The non-coms of C battery gave their first dance of the season at the Battery last night.

S. T. Styles and John Braden are mentioned as probable candidates in Yates street Ward.

The Married Ladies are arranging for one of their popular dancing parties on the evening of Thursday week.

A fine assortment of Crockeryware just opened at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, 80 Douglas street. *

Labor and money saved by using Pendray's Electric Soap. *

Any person finding a bond drawn in favor of the Victoria Theatre Co., will receive a reward by leaving it at this office.

Manager Collins has had an electric light placed in front of the entrance to The Victoria, for the convenience of pedestrians.

When the new swan was taken to the park yesterday the old swan objected, and being the stronger, sent No. 2 out on the thin ice, which failed to sustain the pursuer.

Dolls for the Girls at CHEAPSIDE. *

Simpson's "Bon Ton" tailoring parlors, 86 Government street. Dress suits a specialty. my14

The Iona Social Club held their Sixth fortnightly dance last evening in Harmony Hall; about twenty couples enjoyed themselves until midnight.

The Islander, last evening, brought as Victoria cargo, one car of flour, one of wheat, one of coal, one of bacon, and one of mixed merchandise.

Have you seen the display of goods suitable for Xmas presents at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, 80 Douglas street. *

Children's Tea Sets at CHEAPSIDE. *

A 1.—Sheffield razors, strops, and a complete line of shaving materials and outfits just opened at Fox's, 78 Government St. *

This evening the regular meeting of the B. C. Marine Engineers' Association will be held in their rooms, Yates street, when will be presented the annual reports of the treasurer and secretary.

Ald. Coughlan has announced his intention of again standing for Johnson street ward. His valuable services to the city and to Johnson street Ward will no doubt be recognized by his being again elected by a good majority.

The World Enriched.

The facilities of the present day for the production of everything that will conduce to the material welfare and comfort of mankind are almost unlimited and when Syrup of Figs was first produced the world was enriched with the only perfect laxative known, as it is the only remedy which is truly pleasing and refreshing to the taste and prompt and effectual to cleanse the system gently in the Spring time or, in fact, at any time and the better it is known the more popular it becomes.

When buying Xmas presents get something that will be useful at Weiler Bros. *

"ILLUSTRATED VICTORIA." Buy it and send one to your friends.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

A magistrate's inquiry has begun into the cause of the recent explosion in Dublin castle.

The tariff bill has been finally passed by the French deputies, the vote being 394 to 114.

Disorders among strikers of the San Antonio & Texas railway are threatened. Many deputies have been armed.

The U. S. Government is said to have bought the steamships Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Pennsylvania, to be used as transports.

Speedy settlement of the Bulgaria-French complication is expected in Paris. Russia is said to have forsaken France in the matter.

Rear Admiral Rodgers, United States Navy, is dangerously ill with heart trouble in Washihgton City. It is said there is no chance of recovery.

The national organization of broom manufacturers has announced an advance of 25 cents a dozen to take place immediately.

Railway traffic, shipping, telegraphic and telephone service have been interrupted by a great snowstorm, which began in Germany Tuesday night.

Details received in London with regard to the prevalence of influenza throughout Europe, show that the ravages of the disease are daily increasing.

Martinez, a condemned murderer, was shot at the City of Mexico Thursday. He attempted to escape, and dangerously wounded a detective, but was recaptured. He died blaspheming.

The whisky trust will be investigated by the next Illinois federal grand jury, at the request of the department of justice at Washington City, it being claimed that the company violates the anti-trust law.

Congressman O'Neal of Missouri has introduced a bill for the enforcement of the eight-hour law in all departments of the government, and extending its provisions to laborers under government contracts; also a bill prohibiting the use of convict made goods or materials in the departments, on public buildings, or under contracts with Indians.

The New York Chamber of Commerce has adopted a resolution petitioning Congress to assist in representing the general interests of the country at the World's Fair by the financial aid necessary to make the affair a success and a credit to the nation. It further resolved that the legislature of the state be asked to appropriate $1,000,000 toward the expenses of the Fair.

The late Khedive Mohammed Tewfik was born November 19, 1852, and succeeded his father, the famous Ismael, on the latter's abdication, June 26, 1879, when France and Great Britain intervened in behalf of the foreign creditors. The financial settlement then arranged and the costly administration by European officials introduced by the French and English comptroller general led to a revolution of the army under Arabi Pasha in 1882. England intervened, bombarded and destroyed Alexandria, and completely routed the rebels, the most important engagement being at Tel-el-Kebir. Tewfik was the sixth ruler of Egypt in the dynasty of Mohammed Ali Pasha. Since 1882 he has acted in close harmony with the British authorities. He was a loyal and an honest man and was, as far as character goes, a very paragon among khedives.

The New York Commercial Bulletin says that the coming year will be memorable for the magnitude of the debts paid off. Big crops and fair prices for most farm products, and an unusual foreign demand, will give farmers more money than they ever handled before. Most of the money realized from the sale of products will be utilized in paying off old debts. The mortgage-burdened agriculturists of the West will send millions of dollars to their Eastern creditors. In the South, too, the farmers will be settling their debts, but their forced economy during the past year will make it easier for them to get rid of their burden.

Speaker Crisp's Condition.

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—A special from Washington says: In spite of the favorable reports which have been sent out from Speaker Crisp's room at the Metropolitan the past two days, the Speaker is still critically ill, and his family are much alarmed over his condition. Mr. Catchings said tonight that the crisis of his illness had not been passed. Another gentleman who has seen Mr. Crisp to-day says that he is so weak that he cannot hold a pen in his hand, and that when he was called on to sign a check to-day Mrs. Crisp had to hold his hand and guide it. The Speaker is so sensitive to changes in the atmosphere that his bed clothing is sewed about him in the shape of a bag, closed at the neck to prevent the air reaching it.

A Desperate Navajo Indian.

ALBUQUERQUE, F. M., Jan. 7.—Navajo Jim a desperado Navajo Indian, was brought here, to-day, from the reservation, and lodged in jail. Jim was loaded with whisky on Monday and went gunning. Chief Moriano saw the condition of his subject and attempted to remove the gun and quiet him. This enraged the drunken Indian and he pulled his pistol, shooting the chief through the fleshy part of his legs, close to the body, and the wound is liable to result fatally. Jim then went to the goat ranch of John Cleghorn, where the latter keeps a trading store for the Indians. He took several shots at the wife of proprietor and clerk, fortunately missing them. News of the actions of the bad Indian was sent to Gallup, and his arrest by a Deputy Marshal soon followed.

Important Opinion.

BOISE, Idaho, Jan. 7.—Attorney-General Roberts has just rendered an important and interesting opinion, one that will seriously interfere with certain county officers throughout the state, the question recently as to whether or not a license was a tax, and also whether or not the state auditor should draw his warrant on the state treasurer for commissions and fees allowed under the old law. The matter was submitted to Attorney-General Roberts, who held that license for revenue only is a tax and that no fees can be allowed county officers for services in collection of same, except in the case of sheriffs to a limited extent. It is thought the next legislature will pass a deficiency bill in order to remunerate the county officials for their unrewarded labor.

The Silver Question.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Chairman Warner and Secretary Lee Crandall, to-night, gave out the following, as the result of the past three days' deliberations here in the National Executive Silver committee, and the position that the committee will take towards silver legislation during this congress: "The National Silver committee, in session at Washington, declares that continued experience demonstrates that there has been no adequate or final solution of the money question. But by re-endowing silver with the money function and making silver coins standard money co-equal with solid gold for all money uses, the present policy of making subsidiary money of silver, to be redeemed in gold and piling continually higher the fabric of credit and credit money on a constantly diminishing basis of gold, is unsound and unsafe, and must come to an end. A broader basis of primary money and not a higher superstructure of credit devices is needed. This can be secured only by making silver and gold co-equal as money metals, with the coinage of both on equal terms.

Mitchell and Slavin's Movements.

CHICAGO Jan. 9.—Neither Mitchell nor Slavin will engage in a ring contest in America during their present visit to this country. That question was settled today when the two pugilists signed a contract with M. B. Leavitt to give sparring exhibitions for a series of ten weeks At the end of that time they will return to England, where Slavin will go into active training for his fight with Jackson. Capt. Williams, of New Orleans, who is here in the interests of the Olympic Club, offers both Mitchell and Slavin a big purse to meet Corbett; but neither would accept.

A beautiful assortment of Juvenile Books that should have been here for Christmas, have arrived, and are just in time for the New Year. T. N. HIBBEN & Co.

School Books at publishers' prices. Strong covers supplied without extra charge by T. N. HIBBEN & Co.

Celluloid Music Wrappers, quite new and elegant, at WATT'S Music Store.

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Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste, and acts gently yet promptly on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels, cleanses the system effectually, dispels colds, headaches and fevers and cures habitual constipation permanently.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WESTSIDE

CLEARANCE SALE

OPENING TO-DAY,

TUESDAY, JAN. 5, 1892

The following are a few of the Bargains offered this week:

25 in. Meltons, 30 cents, reduced to 15.
44 in. Scotch Home Spun, 50 cents, reduced to 25.
44 in. all wool India Cashmeres, 75 and 80 cents, reduced to 40
44 in. all wool French Cashmeres, 75 cents, reduced to 40.
42 in. Diagonal Serges, 75 cents, reduced to 40.
44 in. all wool Scotch Tweeds, $1, reduced to 50 cents.
44 in. all wool Scotch Fancy Tweeds, $1.25, reduced to 65 c.
25 pcs. Fancy Trimming Velvets, $1.25 to $2.50, reduced to fifty cents.
20 pcs. Colored Velveteens; 75cents, reduced to 35.
1,500 yards Colored Satins, 90 cents, $1, and $1.25, reduced to fifty cents.
A large line of Jackets, Coats, etc., etc., marked down about fifty per cent.
Some Fancy Goods, including Fans, etc., are put at a nominal price.

All straight and regular goods, neither damaged nor shop-worn, but must be sold to make room for Spring purchases

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AND AT KAMLOOPS B.C mr1

THE MAYORALTY.

To the Electors of Victoria:

Having been requested to become a Candidate for the Mayoralty, I have, after consideration, decided to place my services at your disposal, and respectfully ask your support.

ROBERT BEAVEN,

December 21st, 1891. de22

THE MAYORALTY.

To the Municipal Electors of the City of Victoria:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—In answer to a numerously and influentially signed requisition inviting me to present myself as a candidate for the Mayoralty of our city I have, after considerable reflection and upon urgent personal solicitation, consented to enter the field. My career as a member of the Aldermanic Board for the last six years is before you, and upon my public record it is for my fellow citizens to judge me. In commencing a campaign the electors and the candidate do well to remember that contests are not won without work, and it is upon the personal influence of my friends, as well as upon their votes, that I confidently rely.

I have the honor to be, Ladies and Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

ja6 A. J. SMITH.

To the Electors of Johnson St. Ward:

At the solicitation of a large number of Electors, I offer myself as a candidate for the City Council in Johnson Street Ward. I will, if elected, endeavor to discharge the duties of Alderman faithfully and conscientiously.

Meetings will be held in the three School Houses in the Ward during the week.

ja5-tf EDWARD BRAGG.

To the Electors of Yates St. Ward.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—Having been requested by numerous electors of our Ward to become a candidate for your suffrages at the forthcoming Election, I have decided to place my services at your disposal, and respectfully ask for the same earnest support from you at the polls which you have a right to expect from me at the Aldermanic Board if elected to protect your interests there.

I am yours faithfully,

HUGH MACDONALD,
Pandora North.

Victoria, Jan. 5, 1892. ja6

LOST OR FOUND.

FOUND—The Yacht "Bertha" with her sides stove i. Owner can have her by paying expenses and advertisement. Will be sold in seven days if not claimed. Apply to A. Mulcahy, "C" Battery. ja5-6t

LOST—On 31st December, near Echo Point, Craigflower Road, a black Cocker Spaniel Bitch Reward for information or return to 1714 Yates street. ja5-6t

LOST—On the steamer Maude, when she acted as tender upon the S. S Empress of India, Leather Valise, with letters O. H. Finder will receive a reward of $10 on returning to this office. ja1-3t

J. MURAKAMI, Japanese Artist. Tattooing done in any design, charges moderate, 175 Johnson Street. ja6

NOTICE.

COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS

I HAVE BEEN INSTRUCTED BY THE Northwest Commercial Travellers' Association to issue certificates to Commercial Travellers throughout the Dominion of Canada. Members are entitled to the usual reduced rates.

J. R. KERR,
Secretary for B. C.

Of Kerr & Begg, Booksellers and Stationers, Government Street, Victoria. ja7-6t

Dentistry in all Its Branches.

Dr. Hartman will, for the present, conduct practice at his residence, 247 Yates street, till he can find suitable offices. His old and new patients will derive great benefit from the doctor's new theory in the Dental Art, derived on his travels in the United States and Europe, where he has studied the Latest Art in saving, regulating, bridgework, and the latest of all, setting diamonds in teeth. In plate work he can not be excelled, as he is himself an inventor of an improved set of teeth, and apparatus for cleft palate. All difficult operations performed and satisfaction guaranteed. Ja6

OH, MY "I."

CHANGE OF HANDS.

Geo. J. Cook begs to notify his friends, and public generally, that he has bought out the stock of George Binghams, 179 Douglas Street, and will sell, for cash, Groceries, Patent Medicines, etc., as cheap as the cheapest.

Call, taste, and try, and don't forget to buy. de16-1m

THOMAS HOOPER,
ARCHITECT,

Office over SPENCER'S ARCADE, Government Street. tf

FOR ALDERMAN.

To the Electors of James Bay Ward:

Having been requested to again become a candidate for Alderman in your Ward, I beg to say that I will offer my services at the next civic election, and respectfully solicit your support.

HY. A. MUNN.

Jan. 1st, 1892. ja1

To the Electors of James Bay Ward

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—I have been urged by numerous electors of your Ward to offer my services as one of your representatives in the City Council, and after full consideration I have consented to do so. I am no stranger to you, having for over thirty years been identified with the interests of our city and have watched carefully the important matters which have from time to time been promoted for your welfare. I am deeply interested in the efficient and economical administration of the affairs of the city, and, should you do me the honor to elect me as your representative, I will bring an independent judgment and best efforts to bear on the various important questions affecting your welfare. I am,

Your obedient servant,

JOHN HALL.

Niagara street, Victoria, Jan. 2, 1892. j3

To the Electors of James Bay Ward:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—At the forthcoming election it is my intention to offer my services as a representative of James Bay Ward in the Municipal Council. Should your choice fall upon me, it will rest on one who will always have the interests of the city and of his constituents at heart.

J. GERHARD TIARKS.

Boyd Street,
January 1st, 1892. ja1

To the Electors of James Bay Ward:

The undersigned begs to intimate to the electors that he will again be a candidate for Alderman in the above Ward, and respectfully asks for their influence and support.

ja3 JOSEPH HUNTER.

To the Electors of James Bay Ward.

Your vote and influence are requested for Dr. R. Morrison as your representative in the Council. I will faithfully discharge the duties of the responsible position, and do my utmost to guard your interests. Equal rights to all and special privileges to none.

ja6 DR. R. MORRISON.

To the Electors of Johnson St. Ward:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—In response to earnest solicitations, I beg to present myself before you as a candidate for Alderman in your ward. Having no experience in speaking before a public audience, and not intending to make an attempt at the present time, I take this means of announcing that, if elected, I shall endeavor to use my influence in the best interests of Johnson Street Ward in particular, and the entire city in general. I believe reform is needed in many departments of city management; that more benefit should result from the large expenditures made than we now experience; that a more equitable distribution of the city's revenue is required and demanded; that greater care and consideration should be given to the granting of subsidies to new and untried applications: that, whilst recognizing the Tramway system of great convenience and advantage, I protest against the disadvantages arising from the unfinished state of construction of the road, which in many places is dangerous to valuable property. Immediate attention is called for in the matter of street lighting, and I believe residents of outside portions of the city have good cause for complaint. I am in favor of retrenchment in all departments of the city government when in accordance with good service. Should you favor me with a seat at the Council Board, I shall make it my aim and object at all times to secure a dollar's value for each dollar expended, and purpose to do what I believe to be my straightforward duty, in all places and toward all without fear or favor, irrespective of class creed or faction.

Respectfully yours, etc.,

J. C. DEVLIN.

Victoria, Jan. 7, 1892. ja7

To the Electors of Johnson St. Ward:

At the request of many ratepayers and Citizens of the above Ward, I offer myself as a candidate for the City Council. If elected I will give my vote and support to all measures conducive to the welfare of the City at large.

JOHN H. MELDRAM.

Victoria, Jan. 7, 1892. ja8 td

To the Electors of Johnson St. Ward.

I beg to offer myself as a candidate for Alderman to represent you in the above Ward. Should you honor me with your confidence, my best services will be at your disposal.

ja6 G. MESHER, SR.

To the Electors of Johnson St Ward.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—In response to numerous requests, I beg to offer myself as a candidate for Alderman in Johnson Street Ward, and respectfully ask for your influence and votes.

ja6 M. HUMBER.

To the Electors of Johnson St. Ward:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—At the request of a large number of the Ratepayers and Voters of Johnson Street Ward, I beg leave to announce myself as a candidate for Alderman in your ward. Having long experience in contracting and public works, I trust that the knowledge of such works will be useful to the Ward and City in general. I therefore solicit your vote and influence, and if elected I will serve you to the best of my ability.

I have the honor to be,

Your obedient servant,

ja8 JAMES BAKER.

To the Electors of Johnson St. Ward:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election as Alderman for Johnson Street Ward, and respectfully ask for your votes and support.

ja8 JOHN COUGHLAN.